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## Convicts on the move

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The Calgary Zoo has voted to find new homes for its five pachyderms, and fans are not happy PAGE 3

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Your health

## Online wait-time tracker for ER levelling patient load: AHS

Health officials estimate up to 40 per cent of Calgary emergency-room patients are heading online first to check a wait-time tracking service they say is becoming increasingly accurate.

Last summer, Alberta Health Services (AHS) launched the service, which tracks emergency waits for Calgary's four hospitals and two urgent-care centres. It was the first of its kind in Canada.

David Brewin, executive director of the AHS provincial-access team, said the application is helping a move towards more consistent wait-time averages across all hospitals.

"People are making informed decisions," he said.

"In the past, it was a bit shied away from, giving the public information. We have dispelled some of those worries."

AHS now has eyes on a summer launch of a similar application for Edmonton. A hospital in Kitchener, Ont., also recently launched the same service, and other municipalities have taken an interest as well, Brewin said.

Rick Lundy, chair of the Open Arms Patient Advocacy Society, said he believes the online tool marks a turning point in patient care.

"You used to just go and sit in a waiting room, sometimes not knowing it was (at) 160 per cent capacity," he said.

Brewin said fine-tuning of the tracking process and technology has led them to determine the wait-time tracking system is now accurate to within an hour, 90 per cent of the time. The wait-time tracker can be viewed at [alberta-healthservices.ca](http://alberta-healthservices.ca).

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Dr. Clément Lanthier, president and CEO of the Calgary Zoo, announced Thursday that the zoo will be relocating all five elephants in the next four to five years.  
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# Zoo to say goodbye to all its elephants

**Friends needed.**  
Review begins to find suitable homes



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Four full-grown elephants and an expected newborn will bid farewell to their home at the Calgary Zoo sometime in the next five years, officials said Thursday.

The decision is based on a growing understanding that elephants need to live in a larger social setting.

President Dr. Clément Lan-

thier estimated the facility would need to add as many as six elephants to justify keeping the animals — something it cannot do in its landlocked location.

Fans of the plodding mammals were quick to react on social media. Most said they understood the decision but were still sad to see the elephants vacate a home they have held since 1976.

"We know fans will be disappointed," Lanthier said Thursday morning. "I am disappointed, the staff are disappointed, but at the end of the day this came down to a decision for the good of the elephants."

After Maharani, the preg-

**Welfare**

"I think we should celebrate the fact that we are mature enough to focus on the welfare of our animals."

Calgary Zoo President Dr. Clément Lanthier

nant elephant, is given time to raise her new calf, the zoo will begin a comprehensive process to find the animals new homes.

Julie Woodyer with Zoocheck Canada said the best fit for the elephants would be one of two animal sanctuaries located in California and Tennessee.

"We certainly applauded the zoo's actions," she added.

Lanthier said the zoo will actually invest additional funds

into the elephant enclosure in the months ahead to aid an elephant named Maharani, who is pregnant and expected to give birth in February.

From there, the process of finding a new home for the animals will begin. The zoo intends to keep the three female elephants and the new calf together, while the lone male, Spike, will be moved after consulting with other partners.

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## Up a tree

Armed with blind naïveté and supreme determination, a rookie carpenter living out of his car set out to build his first "house." Joel Allen's dream treehouse deep in a B.C. forest (and built with no electrical power) is being threatened. Watch at [metronews.ca](http://metronews.ca)

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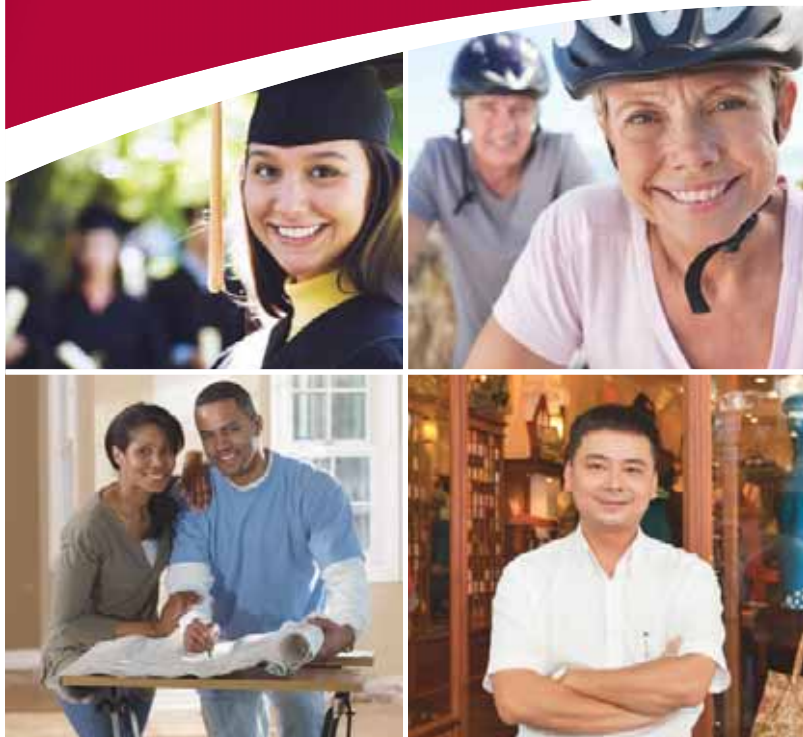


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Mary Anne Kinnell wraps her arms around Karen Venables. Kinnell helped Venables in the months after Venables' son was killed. KATIE TURNER/METRO

## Support from police team crucial: Victims

**Calgary Police Service.** Force is celebrating 35 years of victim services

### Giving back

"I became a part of a club that no one wants to be a part of."

Volunteer Mary Anne Kinnell  
On the sexual abuse of her child,  
which led her to seek help from VAST



KATIE TURNER  
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Without the support of people who were once strangers, Karen Venables says she never would have made it through her son's death.

It's been nearly 10 years since Venables' son Devin died after a single punch during a fight he tried to walk away from. Even now, Venables calls Mary Anne Kinnell her "guardian angel."

"I don't think I would have

survived," she said.

Kinnell — at that time a volunteer with the Calgary Police Service Victim Assistance Support Team (VAST) — reached out to Venables, offering emotional support and help in dealing with court proceedings.

Kinnell, too, was once at the receiving end of the support, after a family member sexually abused her nine-year-old child.

"I became a part of a club

that no one wants to be a part of," she said.

She has since been hired as a court-support co-ordinator and says VAST is always looking for more volunteers to help the more than 18,000 Calgarians that use the program every year.

National Victims of Crime Awareness Week runs from April 22 to 28.

To become a volunteer, visit the Calgary Police Service website.

### Highway robbery

#### Truckers, mind your tailgates: Police

Tailgates and other trucking accessories are an increasingly hot commodity for thieves, police warn.

This comes as investigators said Thursday they have charged local resident David Smith, 41, with theft under \$5,000 after stolen tailgates were allegedly found in his northeast Calgary home.

Acting Staff Sgt. Gord Nyhus said some modified truck accessories can fetch up to \$5,000 on the resale market. **METRO**

## Ethics investigation. Redford unaware of Gary Mar's reinstatement

Alberta Progressive Conservative Leader Alison Redford says she doesn't know anything about reports that the province's trade envoy to Asia has been reinstated.

Radio stations CHQR and CHED cite sources as saying longtime Tory Gary Mar was allowed to return to his post this month.

Mar, a failed leadership candidate, was given the Asia job by Redford after the race. He was put on unpaid leave before the election campaign while Alberta's senior civil servant investigated whether

a fundraising dinner had violated ethics codes.

In a statement, Redford called it an employee-employer matter.

"I have been clear from the beginning of this process that I would play no role in the investigation," she said. "I have not played any role after referring it to the civil service to be dealt with, nor was I informed of the decision."

Staff in the premier's office could not immediately confirm whether Mar was back at his post.

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## Your candidates. Calgary-Mountain View

### Wildrose



**Shane McAllister:** While studying economics and psychology at the University of Calgary, he joined the debate club and shortly thereafter joined his first political party.

### Alberta PC



**I Cecilia Low:** Low graduated from Queen's University in 1983 with a B.Sc. in engineering geophysics.

### Alberta Liberals



**David Swann:** Swann is a Medical Doctor. He was elected to the Alberta legislature in November 22, 2004.

### Alberta Party



**Inshan Mohammed:** Mohammed moved out to Alberta in 2008 to pursue his dream job working for a small consulting engineering firm servicing the oil & gas industry.

### Alberta NDP



**Christopher McMillan:** McMillan has spent most of his life in Calgary. He is working towards a degree in Political Science at the University of Calgary and working with youth with a variety of organizations, including Boys & Girls Club of Calgary.

## Your candidates. Calgary-North West

### Alberta Liberals



**Robert Price:** Price is in his final year of study at the University of Calgary (BA, Law and Society). He grew up on a farm just outside Calgary and has lived in the city's northwest since 2000.

### Alberta NDP



**Brian Malkinson:** Brian Malkinson is a Designer/Analyst at a Calgary-based eCommerce start-up company. Brian has a Science degree from Simon Fraser University in BC.

### Evergreen



**Bryan Hunt:** Growing up in the majesty of Western Canada has inspired in Bryan a lifetime of wonder and awe for the natural environment and a deep thirst for protecting it.

### Alberta PC



**Sandra Jansen:** Jansen's first political experience was in 1985 when she worked for Ron Chittier in his bid for the leadership of the PC Party and has hosted political panels for years.

### Wildrose



**Chris Challis:** Challis is an experienced business leader, neighbourhood volunteer, husband, father and proud Albertan and a fiscal conservative.



Scott Epple with Gull Valley Greenhouses is all stocked up for the Calgary Farmers' Market one-year anniversary party this Saturday. CANDICE WARD/FOR METRO

# 'Cadillac of farmers' markets' turns year old

**Fresh food.** Vendors say shoppers are beginning to return after slow start

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The first year of the Calgary Farmers' Market has been no cup of tea for some vendors, but business has begun to get back on track.

"Between the move, be-

ing dark for four months and the bad press, it took some steam out of our sails," said Dave Pidhirney, owner of TotaliTea, The Tea Boutique at the Calgary Farmers' Market.

Pidhirney has been a vendor with the market for nearly all of its eight-year run to date across two locations and is pleased to see business returning after a shaky start when it opened along Blackfoot Trails about one year ago.

Scott Epple, Calgary sales manager with Gull Valley

Greenhouses and member of the board of directors for the Calgary Farmers' Market, said many of the initial wrinkles in the new location have been pretty much ironed out.

"It has been a tough year, but nothing good in life comes easy," said Epple. "This location is the Cadillac of farmers' markets."

The market will be celebrating its first anniversary at the Blackfoot location on Saturday with their first ever Customer Appreciation Day.

### Market details

- The Calgary Farmers' Market is open Thursday to Sunday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and features a total of 73 vendors.
- The old market located in the Currie Barracks closed in November 2010, and construction delays pushed back the opening of the new venue by a few months last year.

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## Secret Service. Chairman predicts more firings amid prostitution scandal

A top lawmaker briefed on the investigation into a Secret Service prostitution scandal predicted more firings would follow the forced ouster of three agency employees.

"I wouldn't be surprised if you saw more dismissals and more being forced out sooner rather than later," Rep. Peter King, a Republican, said Thursday. King is being updated on the investigation by Secret Service director Mark Sullivan.

The Secret Service is moving quickly to quell the scandal that erupted last week, when at least some of the 11 agency employees implicated in the incident brought prostitutes back to their hotel in Cartagena, Colombia, where they were setting up security for a visit by President Barack Obama.

So far, three people have lost their jobs; One supervisor was allowed to retire, and another will be fired for cause. A third employee, who was not a supervisor, has resigned.

The two supervisors are in the agency's uniformed division; one is a sergeant, according to a person familiar with Secret Service operations and refused to be identified be-

### Investigation

- Hotel workers told Secret Service investigators they found no drugs or drug paraphernalia in the rooms where the agents stayed, according to a person familiar with the investigation. The person was not authorized to discuss the probe publicly and spoke only on condition of anonymity.
- Sen. Chuck Grassley, the senior Republican on the Senate judiciary committee, said news of the three agents leaving the Secret Service was a positive development.

cause he was not authorized to discuss the matter.

The team under investigation includes members of the agency's "jump teams," which are sent to sites ahead of the president's arrival to set up security. Others involved are on counter-assault and counter-sniper teams. The majority of those involved are believed to be based in the Washington area. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

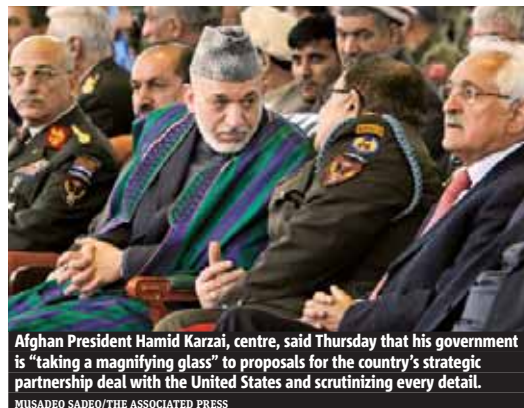
# Afghans call for quick international exit over gruesome photos

**Military.** U.S. soldiers posing with corpses is the latest embarrassment jeopardizing relations between two countries

Afghan President Hamid Karzai condemned photographs of U.S. soldiers posing with the bloodied remains of three suicide bombers as "disgusting" and said Thursday that only a quick exit of international forces can prevent such missteps.

Karzai joined top American officials in denouncing the two-year-old photos, the latest in a string of embarrassing controversies that have jeopardized relations between the two countries in the midst of negotiations over the withdrawal of foreign troops.

He also warned that "similar incidents of an odious nature" in the past sparked angry reactions from Afghans, including violent protests that left dozens dead, although there was no im-



Afghan President Hamid Karzai, centre, said Thursday that his government is "taking a magnifying glass" to proposals for the country's strategic partnership deal with the United States and scrutinizing every detail. **MUSADEQ SADEQ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

mediate sign of a popular backlash.

One photo shows members of the 82nd Airborne Division posing in 2010 with Afghan police holding the severed legs of a suicide bomber. The same platoon a few months later was sent to investigate the remains of three insurgents reported to have accidentally blown themselves up — and soldiers again

posed and mugged for a photo with the remains.

A photo from the second incident appears to show the hand of a dead insurgent resting on a U.S. soldier's shoulder.

"The only way to put an end to such painful experiences is through an accelerated and full transition of security responsibilities to Afghan forces," Karzai said. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

### Allegations

## Priest never investigated, jury hears

A Philadelphia priest described by prosecutors as a serial predator was never investigated after a seminarian's lurid 1992 complaint because the case "fell through the cracks."

That's what Monsignor William Lynn told a grand jury, according to testimony read Thursday in Lynn's child-endangerment trial.

Lynn, the longtime secretary for clergy for the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Philadelphia, is also charged with conspiracy for his handling of priest-abuse complaints.

The seminarian has testified that the priest, Stanley Gana, had sex with him throughout high school, and that he reported it to Lynn in 1992.

Lynn told a 2002 grand jury that Gana was not sent for a psychiatric evaluation until a 1995 complaint because the earlier case "fell through the cracks" when Lynn changed jobs.

Gana wasn't defrocked until 2006. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



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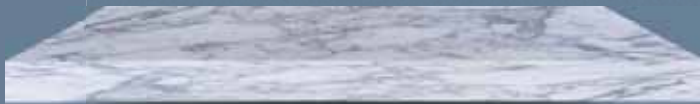
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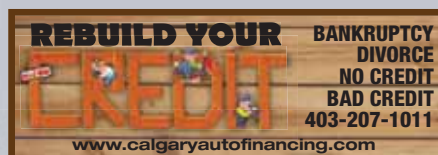


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# Kingston Pen to shut doors after 177 years

## Strained system.

Closure will add pressure to Ontario jail system: Correctional Services minister

Ontario is blasting a federal plan to close down two prisons, including one in Kingston, even though the province is itself shutting down several jails to save money.

Correctional Services Minister Madeleine Meilleur said Thursday she wasn't happy about the announcement, saying the closure of the Kingston prison that holds killers Paul Bernardo and Russell Williams would put more strain on the provincial system.

"We're already housing some of their inmates because they don't have space in their federal penitentiary and now they're closing one of their larger ones, so I don't understand their decision," she said.

The government will close Kingston Penitentiary, the



A view of the Kingston Penitentiary. LARS HAGBERG/THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

country's oldest penal institution, as well as the Leclerc prison near Montreal as part of a cost-cutting effort. The iconic Kingston prison, a national historic site whose turreted limestone walls are a waterfront landmark, dates back to 1835.

Public Safety Minister Vic Toews said the closures will save \$120 million a year as the

inmates are shifted to more modern prisons.

"Moving these offenders to other facilities will increase safety and security and ensure the best use of hard-working Canadians' tax dollars," he said.

"Institutions built in the 19th century are not appropriate for managing a 21st-century inmate population."

Meilleur argued the move was especially surprising after Ottawa introduced a tougher crime bill.

"With C-10, there'll be more people that are being put in jail so we'll need more beds so it's going to put pressure to the province because we are already housing some of their clients."

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## Survey. Most Canadian homeowners would walk away from bidding war

The national real estate market may seem to resemble a battleground, but a new survey suggests most Canadians would prefer not to go to war.

Three quarters of respondents from an online survey done by the Bank of Montreal suggested they would walk away from a promising property purchase rather than get roped into a bidding war that could raise the ante well beyond what they're prepared to pay.

Even among the 25 per cent willing to lock horns with other buyers, most would prefer to keep the grappling to a minimum.

Half of respondents willing to engage in a bidding war said they'd draw the line at paying more than 10 per cent above the asking price. A further 25 per cent set their upper limit at 20 per cent over asking.

Prospective homebuyers and realtors agree, however, that all bets are off in the country's most competitive markets.

Ariel Brewster, 28, has spent the past nine months with her fiancé combing Toronto for a modest fixer-upper

### The poll

The web-based survey received results from 1,000 house and condo owners.

- Men were more willing than women to bid as much as 120 per cent of the listing price.
- Just one in five women said they would bid 120 per cent of the asking price, compared with one in three men.

that can be partially converted into rental space.

Twice they've submitted an offer based on an agent's appraisal of its value, but they've been outbid by as high as \$100,000.

The notion of securing a home without a bruising bidding war sometimes seems utterly alien in a market widely recognized as one of the hottest in the country.

"You're not paying for what you bought, you're paying to win," Brewster said.

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# Double lung transplant recipient suffers setback



Helene Campbell, a double lung transplant recipient, is shown in a handout photo from April 18. THE CAMPBELL FAMILY/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Helene Campbell, the Ottawa woman who underwent a double lung transplant in Toronto on April 7, has suffered a setback in her recovery.

Campbell's mother, Manon, says after being taken off a ventilator last Saturday, the young woman began to have breathing problems.

Her mother wrote that "unfortunately, breathing became very difficult for her on Sunday evening" and a breathing tube was re-inserted.

Campbell is receiving steroids to combat the early onset of rejection and is also being treated for a lung infection at Toronto General Hospital.

Her double transplant became necessary after she was diagnosed with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis and her condition worsened.

The update was posted on her daughter's website on Wednesday, which was Helene's 21st birthday and Campbell's mom wrote that

her daughter celebrated her birthday in good spirits.

"We witnessed some of her first dance moves, bobbing her head and shoulders to the tune of Walking on Broken Glass by Annie Lennox today," she wrote.

"Despite the challenges, Helene still manages to make us and the nursing staff laugh."

Campbell's story made world headlines earlier this year after pop star Justin

Bieber endorsed her campaign to promote organ donation.

She also made an appearance on the talk show Ellen via Skype.

Since, she has gained a legion of followers on Twitter.

Campbell started raising awareness of organ donation after being diagnosed with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, which requires a transplant.

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# Party leaders' lighter sides



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## Getting personal.

Everything from education to abortion and alleged racism has been thrown into the Alberta provincial election campaign mix over the past four weeks. Behind the scenes, however, each leader of a major party has their own quirks, vices and tales of silliness. We talked with each party leader about their experiences and what is important when it comes to their personal lives



## Talking frogs' anuses part of 'practical' campaign

Glenn Taylor, Alberta Party

**Q.** Hectic campaign? How has it gone for you?

**A.** It's different every day ... one morning I was on an Edmonton radio station, K-97, and they were talking to me about frogs' anuses of all things.

**Q.** Frog anus conversation prep?

**A.** How do you prepare for that conversation? You just have to be real ... coming into that radio show I had a number of emails asking where they could buy a membership because they support our practical approach to politics

**Q.** What keeps you busy on long campaign drives?

**A.** When I'm driving I tend to keep the radio off and think. When I do get downtime, as rare as it is, I can escape into a novel. I will pick something completely off-topic, like a Louis L'Amour western.

**Q.** Do you have any vices? Campaign snack?

**A.** I have pretzels, apples and water ... I've got an affinity for the pretzel.



## Search for the winning cup of coffee

Alison Redford, Progressive Conservatives

**Q.** What is key to keeping your energy up on a long campaign?

**A.** Really, talking to Albertans about what is important to them. I also need my sleep — I have found sleep to be very important.

**Q.** Beverage of choice on the campaign?

**A.** There's lots of coffee... The good thing was part of the campaign took place during Roll Up the Rim at Tim Hortons. You know I haven't won once ... at least 150-200 cups and not a single winner.

**Q.** Has there been any one moment during this campaign that has inspired you?

**A.** Up in Grande Prairie I got to meet some wheelchair basketball players and try it out myself... watching them was pretty inspiring.

**Q.** If you get a break anytime in the foreseeable future, what do you plan to do?

**A.** We have been going non-stop ... the biggest thing will be to spend time with my daughter.



## 'Sherman tank' rolling right to the end

Raj Sherman, Liberals

**Q.** 14 hours a day on the campaign trail, what keeps you entertained?

**A.** Well, it's nice because I have my own pickup truck ... it's big and red, we jokingly call it the Sherman tank. We crank up the tunes ... and we tend to play good rock music.

**Q.** You still work part-time in emergency rooms. Do you think any of your rivals, the other party leaders, would be a good emergency room physician?

**A.** These guys are folding like cheap tents. The emergency room would be a disaster, look at their politics. If any one of them worked in an emergency room, they would check each other's blood and chuck their organs at each other.

**Q.** Do you still kiss babies on the campaign trail?

**A.** You have got to be careful. You shake so many hands, you really wouldn't want to pass the germs on to a baby.



## Leader's 'Too old for Red Bull'

Brian Mason, NDP

**Q.** Do you have a footwear of choice when you're out pounding the pavement on the campaign trail?

**A.** I have these pair of Rockport walking shoes that fit just perfectly. I slap those on if I'm going to be out for a few hours.

**Q.** Where do you get the energy from?

**A.** A lot of coffee, it's the fuel of the campaign. I'm too old for Red Bull.

**Q.** Do you have any personal quirks?

**A.** My staff have a really hard time getting me to commit to early mornings. The amount of guilt it takes to get me to do that is really incredible.

**Q.** Do you kiss a lot of the babies on the campaign trail, or is that old-world election tactics?

**A.** Not so far. One of our candidates has got a little baby and we are at campaign events and so on, she lets me hold it. I like that.



## 'Boob bus' remains campaign highlight

Danielle Smith, Wildrose

**Q.** You have campaigned before, what keeps you going on the trail?

**A.** My dogs. They are both on the campaign trail with me ... the nice part about them is they always need attention, always need walks.

**Q.** Do you have any vices or snacks that you prefer while campaigning?

**A.** I'm a coffee drinker. I prefer Tim Hortons, as a backup I will go with McDonald's. We do, from time-to-time, have a pint or a glass of wine at the end of the day.

**Q.** Obviously a campaign can't go off without any hitches...

**A.** We started with a photo-op that went wrong with our campaign bus, the "boob bus." Nothing has come quite close to that kind of blooper.

**Q.** That bus landed you on the Jay Leno show, you got a mention from Ellen Degeneres. How does it feel to get that kind of exposure?

**A.** Not quite the kind of exposure we wanted... I wish they were talking about our policy platform.

## Party leaders take part in final debate

Party leaders battling it out in the final days of the Alberta election campaign braved the barbs of a live studio audience in a final debate before Monday's vote.

CBC hosted a leadership forum broadcast on TV and radio four days before Albertans head to the polls.

Liberal Leader Raj Sherman, struggling for traction much of the campaign, set the tone by suggesting the election has turned into a choice between bullies and bigots.

The bullies reference was a shot at the Progressive Conservatives, who have faced allegations they have used heavy-

handed tactics to silence critics.

The bigots comment was a dig at the Wildrose party, which polls suggest is in the lead going into the vote. The party has faced criticism for its position on so-called conscious rights and for two candidates who have been forced to clarify remarks they made about race and homosexuality in recent days.

"Do we really have to vote for two false choices — a bunch of bullies who've been wrecking our health and education ... systems, and a bunch of bigots, who want to further wreck our health and education systems?" Sherman asked.

Wildrose Leader Danielle Smith took the lion's share of heckling from the audience. She was booed loudly by the audience when she said climate change is still up for debate.

Smith has faced criticism ever since she suggested earlier this week that the question of global warming still hasn't been settled, while almost everyone in the scientific community and many governments say it has been.

"We've been watching the debate in the scientific debate, and there is still a debate in the scientific community," she said to jeers. "And we are going to

continue to watch the debate in the scientific community, but that's no excuse not to act."

NDP Leader Brian Mason fired back.

"It's only disputed by phoney scientists funded by the oil industry," he said.

The audience also booed as Smith said her party would not make any laws on contentious moral issues.

"I believe we need to be tolerant of all people's views and that's the position we take as a political party," she said.

Mason suggested Albertans don't want to go back to the 1950s when it comes to abortion and gay marriage.



Conservative Leader Alison Redford has a laugh with NDP leader Brian Mason, right, as Wildrose Leader Danielle Smith and Liberal leader Raj Sherman wait for the CBC leaders forum to start Thursday. JASON FRANSON/THE CANADIAN PRESS

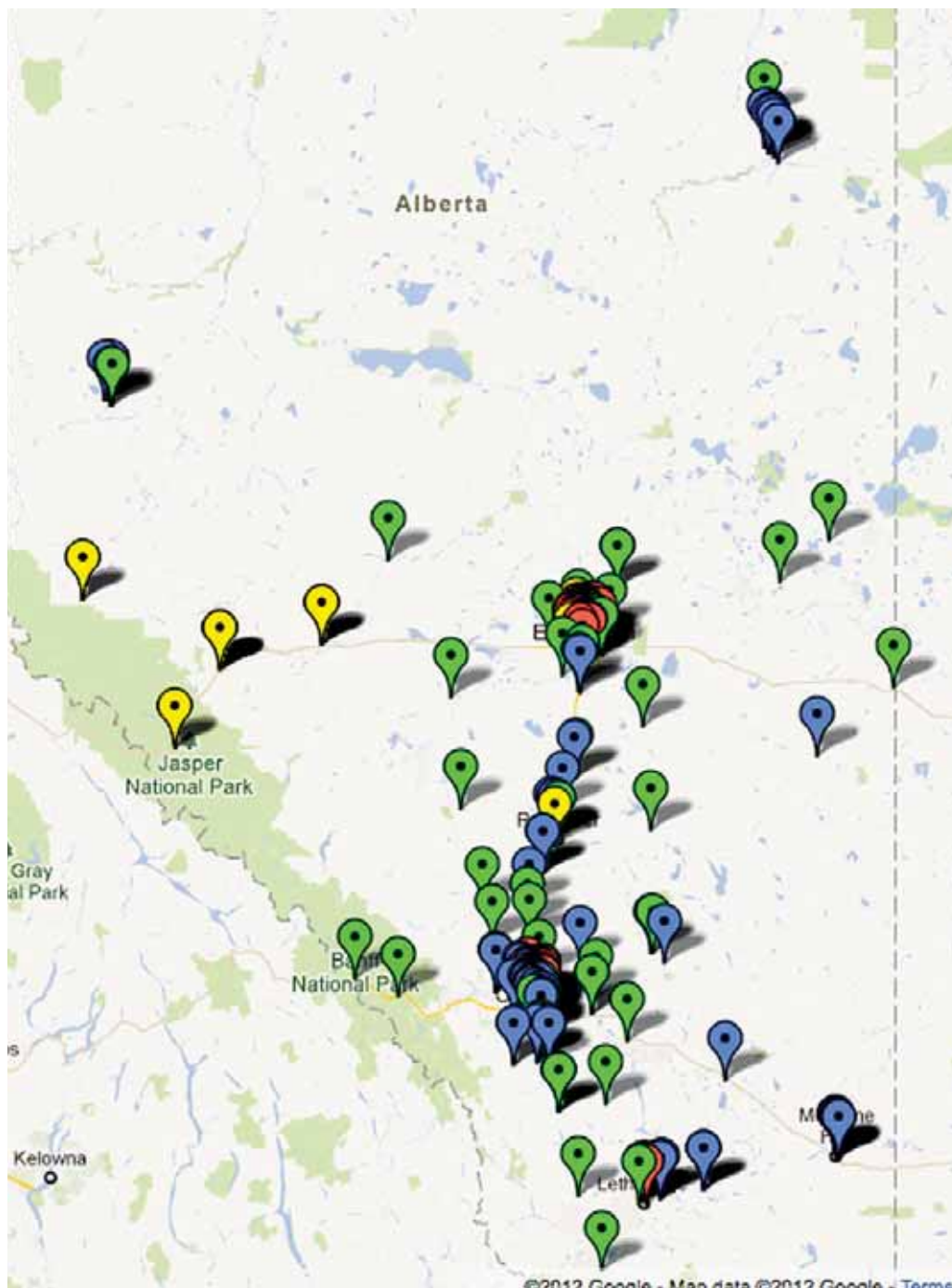
Progressive Leader and Premier Alison Redford said she feels most Al-

bertans believe those questions have been settled.

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# Counting up the campaign trail



Each colour represents where the leaders have been during the 2012 Alberta election campaign. COMPILED BY KATIE TURNER AND LAURIE CALLEN

## Your candidates. Calgary-Northern Hills

**Stephanie Westlund: NDP**



Stephanie is passionate about protecting and promoting the human rights of all Albertans, including the rights of Aboriginal peoples, immigrant populations, people living with disabilities, and the gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender community.

**Teresa Woo-Paw: PC**



Teresa was first elected as MLA in 2008. She served as parliamentary assistant to the Minister of Employment and Immigration, and chaired Alberta's Youth Secretariat.



**Prasad Panda: Wildrose**

Prasad Panda is an Engineer and has senior management level experience providing supply chain management at the global level. For 25 years he has been actively involved in the execution of mega size hydro carbon projects.

## Your candidates. Calgary-Shaw

**Brandon Beasley: Alberta Party**



Brandon Beasley is a writer, political blogger, and born-and-raised Calgarian who is passionate about big ideas and public engagement.

**Farouk Adatia: PC**



Believes true leadership is driven by integrity, accountability and a genuine desire to serve. He was raised in a family that believes strongly in these values, and in service to community.

**Ashley Fairall: NDP**



Ashley Fairall currently works with a facility maintenance company in Calgary and teaches yoga at various locations throughout the city. She is involved in a youth leadership initiative focused on social and environmental justice and commits much time to volunteering in the not-for-profit sector.

**Jeff Wilson: Wildrose**



Jeff Wilson is an account executive at a national audio and visual company with an educational background in business and broadcasting. He was born and raised in Alberta and has lived in South Calgary for 16 years.



**John Roggeveen: Liberal**

N/A - No description.

## Your candidates. Calgary-South East

**Marta Warszynsk: NDP**



Marta Warszynski was just 6 months old when she immigrated to Canada with her family from Europe. She knows the challenges that newcomers have finding stability in a new country. Coming from an artistic and musical family she is aware of how important arts and culture is in education and in shaping a child's life and future.

**Rick Fraser: PC**



Rick Fraser is the Progressive Conservative candidate for Calgary-South East. Rick is a born and raised Calgarian and is raising two young sons with his wife in Calgary's South East. Like so many Canadians, one of Rick's passions is the game of hockey.



**Bill Jarvis: Wildrose**

He's an unapologetic advocate of free enterprise, having enjoyed 15 years as a hi-tech professional and now as a business owner.

**Alison Redford**

**105**

As of the end of the day on April 19, PC Party leader Alison Redford had made 105 stops throughout Alberta as far north as Fort McMurray and as far south as Lethbridge.

**Glen Taylor**

**4**

Since the campaign was announced on March 26, Glen Taylor has campaigned in the town of Edson four times, and, according to itineraries released by the five major parties, he is the only leader to visit Edson.

**Danielle Smith**

**50**

Along the campaign trail, the Wildrose Party has flagged more than 50 photo opportunities for media to shoot photos of party leader Danielle Smith. The photo-op stops included everything from Peters' Drive-In in Calgary to the Vulcan Starship.

**Brian Mason**

**14**

NDP leader Brian Mason scheduled 14 press conferences between March 26 and April 19. He also took questions from the students of Concordia University College in Edmonton on April 10.

**Raj Sherman**

**1**

Only one candidate along the campaign trail took part in framing a house — Liberal leader Raj Sherman. Sherman has also played basketball and read to children during his campaign.

# Capital murder charge may carry death sentence

**Fatal shooting.** Verna McClain is accused of shooting 28-year-old Kala Golden in the parking lot of a pediatric clinic

A nurse accused of fatally shooting a new mother and speeding away with the dying woman's infant son in suburban Houston quietly told a judge Thursday that she understood she was facing capital murder charges.

Verna McClain, who investigators said recently suffered a miscarriage and was desperate to find a child, looked down and spoke softly during the brief court appearance. Her bond hearing was delayed until Monday, though the



Attorney Steve Jackson talks to Verna McClain during a court appearance Thursday. DAVID J. PHILLIP/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

30-year-old mother of three will remain jailed until then. McClain is accused of shooting 28-year-old Kala

Golden in the parking lot of a suburban Houston pediatric clinic on Tuesday and snatching Golden's three-day-old

son. The infant was found safe hours later with McClain's sister.

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## Terrorism trial in Norway. Killer had gruesome plans for Prime Minister

Confessed mass killer Anders Behring Breivik testified Thursday that he had planned to capture and decapitate former Norwegian Prime Minister Gro Harlem Brundtland during his shooting massacre on Utoya island.

Breivik said his plan was to film the beheading and post the video on the Internet. Brundtland had already left the Labor Party's youth camp on Utoya when Breivik arrived on July 22, after setting off a bomb in Oslo that killed eight people.

Sixty-nine people, mostly teenagers, were killed on Utoya, where nearly 600 members of the Labour Party's youth wing had gathered for their annual summer retreat.

"The plan was to behead Gro Harlem Brundtland while it was being filmed,"



Anders Behring Breivik  
ERLAND AAS/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Breivik told the court.

The far-right fanatic said he was inspired by al-Qaida's use of decapitation but noted that "beheading is a traditional European death penalty."

"It was meant to be used as a very powerful psychological weapon," he said.

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# NASA's Discovery shuttle lands at museum



Shuttle Discovery, right, at the transfer ceremony. CAROLYN RUSSO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NASA turned over space shuttle Discovery on Thursday to the Smithsonian Institution, the first in its orbiter fleet to be transferred to a U.S. museum.

The U.S. Marine Drum and Bugle Corps, astronauts including former Sen. John Glenn and several thousand visitors with American flags, greeted Discovery. It will retire as an artifact representing the 30-year shuttle program.

The world's most travelled spaceship has been lifted

off its Boeing 747 carrier and towed to the museum near Dulles International Airport.

Curator Valerie Neal said Discovery will be displayed as if it just landed, with its large payload bay doors closed. Some of its side panels are worn and discoloured, and tiles on its underbelly show streaks from the flames of re-entry to the atmosphere.

The top question museum visitors have been asking is whether they will be

able to walk inside Discovery or see the flight deck, Neal said.

"We don't permit that here because we treat all of the aircraft and spacecraft as artifacts, not as exhibit props," she said. Allowing people to walk inside would require cutting a bigger hatch, which would damage it.

Instead, the museum has created 360-degree interactive pictures of Discovery's flight deck and mid deck.

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### Blast off!

Discovery flew every type of mission during the 30-year shuttle program

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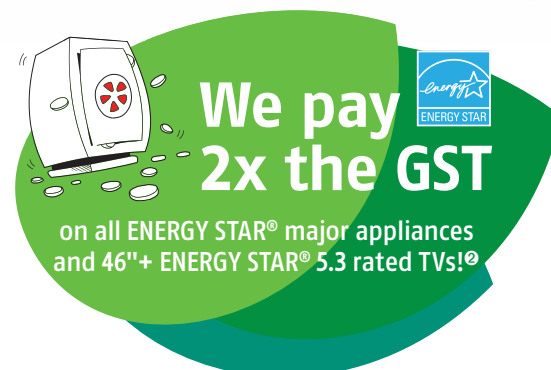
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## Pimp my missile?

A North Korean vehicle carrying a missile passes by during a mass military parade in Pyongyang's Kim Il Sung Square to celebrate the centenary of the birth of the late North Korean founder Kim Il Sung. The enormous, 16-wheel truck used to carry the missile likely came from China in a possible violation of UN sanctions meant to rein in Pyongyang's missile program. DAVID GUTTENFELDER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# India's launch of nuclear missile widely accepted

**Nuclear.** Response to India's rocket test shows acceptance of nuclear program

India's successful test of a powerful new missile that can carry nuclear weapons to Beijing caused barely a ripple — even in China — just days after North Korea was globally vilified for a failed rocket launch.

The vastly different responses show the world has grown to accept India as a responsible and stable nuclear power, while shunning North Korea as a pariah.

"It's not the spear, but who holds the spear that matters," said Rahul Bedi, a defence analyst in India. "North Korea is a condemned nation. It's a pariah country. Its record of breaking nuclear agreements is well known. India has emerged in that sense as a fairly respon-



India announced the launch of its Agni-V missile Thursday. INDIAN MINISTRY OF DEFENSE/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

sible country."

The muted response to Thursday morning's test underscores how far India has come in gaining acceptance for its nuclear program. After India tested its first nuclear bomb in 1974, the U.S. put it under sanc-

tions for a quarter century.

But last decade, the U.S. removed the sanctions and ratified in 2008 a landmark deal to allow civilian nuclear trade that effectively accepted India as a nuclear nation.

India hailed its test of the Agni-V missile as a significant step forward in its aspirations to become a regional and world power.

"The nation stands tall today," Defence Minister A.K. Antony said, according to the Press Trust of India.

The missile, with a range of 5,000 kilometres, still requires a battery of tests and must clear other bureaucratic hurdles before it can be inducted into India's arsenal in a few years.

The condemnation of North Korea's rocket launch on the other hand was swift. The United States cancelled a plan to send food aid and the UN Security Council announced it would impose new sanctions.

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## Driver arrested with ammo made 'honest mistake': Boss

The boss of a truck driver caught with 268,000 rounds of ammunition in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, says his employee took a wrong turn on his way to deliver what he says was legal cargo bound for an Arizona dealer.

Dennis Mekenye, operations manager at Demco freight company in the Dallas suburb of Arlington, said Thursday that driver Jabin Bogan, 27, made "a very honest mistake" when he took a wrong turn that eventually led him to Mexico on Tuesday.

Mekenye says he's been in touch with U.S. law enforcement agencies and the U.S. consulate in Ciudad Juarez. "We want this solved, that is why we have been so forthcoming with authorities."

The truck's tracking unit showed that it had entered into Mexico and that is when Mekenye said he decided to call Bogan. "We do not go into Mexico, our company is not licensed to go into Mexico," Mekenye said. The driver told him over the phone that Mexican authorities had detained him and were going to inspect the cargo.

Mekenye said that Bogan informed him that after making two of his three stops in El Paso, Texas, he proceeded to drive to the third stop at company called Carefusion in El Paso before heading to Phoenix, where the ammunition was to be delivered. But he took a wrong turn and found himself at the Bridge of the Americas, unable to make a

U-Turn.

Howard Glaser, owner of United Nations Ammunition in Phoenix, said the cargo was 18,000 units of 5.56 calibre bullets like those used for ar-15 assault rifles and 250,000 .308 calibre bullets. "They are saying these (the .308 rounds) are for AK-47 rifles but the brass casing is 12 millimeters longer, it will not fit in the chamber," said Glaser.

"They are making a big political issue out of this," said Glaser.

The federal prosecutor's office in northern Chihuahua state said Bogan is being held pending investigation on illegal weapons charges. Spokesman Angel Torres says the driver claimed he had no goods to declare.

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### Standoff

## Cops arrest armed man in hospital after standoff

A man has been arrested and is undergoing a mental health assessment following a brief standoff between police and an armed man in a hospital waiting room in

Iqaluit.

Police said the man carrying a rifle entered the Qikiqtani General Hospital shortly after noon Thursday.

"It's hard to tell right now exactly what the motive was," said RCMP Sgt. Kevin Lewis.

"We're not really sure why he chose to attend at the hospital. I don't really know what his demands were."

One wing of the hospital was evacuated. The 35-bed facility is the main hospital in Nunavut and serves the whole territory.

A police negotiator was able to defuse the situation peacefully, Lewis said. There was no indication the man was drunk or on drugs.

"It was strictly a mental health issue with him," said Lewis.

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## Lighting a stairway to heaven

Exiled Tibetans descend a staircase during a candlelit vigil to mark two more reported self-immolations in Tibet, in Dharmasala, India, on Thursday. Thirty-two people have set themselves on fire in Tibetan areas over the past year to draw attention to China's restrictions on Buddhism and call for the return from exile of their spiritual leader, the Dalai Lama. ASHWINI BHATTIA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Peace ends, bombings rock 10 cities in Iraq

## Sectarian tensions.

At least 30 dead, 117 wounded as bombs and mortar shells break a temporary peace in politically divided nation

Bombs ripped through 10 Iraqi cities Thursday, killing at least 30 people and shattering a month of relative calm. Minority lawmakers decried the violence as a tragic but inevitable result of the Shiite-led government's attempts to dominate Iraqi politics.

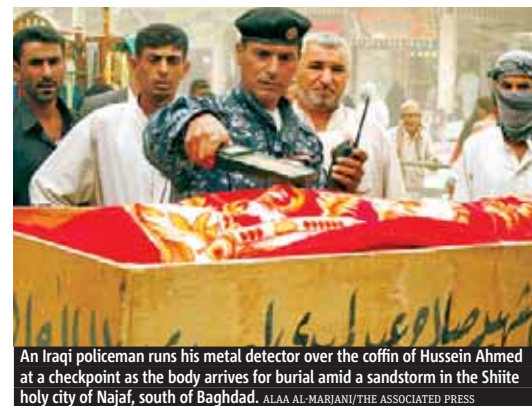
Despite simmering sectarian tensions, a lull in deadly attacks since mid-March led many to hope Iraq had turned a corner and away from widespread violence. That proved overly optimistic as at least 14 bombs and mortar shells exploded across 10 cities over three hours in the morning. At least 117 people were wounded, police said.

"What crime have we committed? How long will such violence continue?" wailed a woman, who would identify herself only by her nickname of Um Ali, after watching a car explode outside an apartment building in western Baghdad. "This is security in Iraq," a man nearby muttered sarcastically as he inspected damage to his car.

Six of the bombings struck at security forces and government officials — frequent targets for insurgents.

In Baghdad alone, 12 people were killed, mostly in Shiite neighbourhoods. The other attacks hit northern Iraqi cities — from Samarra, where a 2006 mosque bombing touched off the worst of the insurgency, to the ethnically mixed city to Kirkuk, to Saddam Hussein's hometown of Tikrit.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility, but Baghdad military command spokesman Col. Dhia al-Wakeel said they resembled those carried out by al-Qaida, the



An Iraqi policeman runs his metal detector over the coffin of Hussein Ahmed at a checkpoint as the body arrives for burial amid a sandstorm in the Shiite holy city of Najaf, south of Baghdad. ALAA AL-MARIANI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sunni Muslim terror network.

Sunni and Kurdish lawmakers said the bombings likely were the result of a months-long political impasse that has all but paralyzed Iraq's government since the U.S. military withdrawal at the end of last year.

They said ongoing bickering over power-sharing with Prime Minister

Nouri al-Maliki, a Shiite, has opened the door to violence.

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# More charges against former Ukrainian PM

**Yulia Tymoshenko.**  
Incarcerated opposition leader faces new tax-evasion charges as concerns arise about her health

Former Ukrainian Prime Minister Yulia Tymoshenko was put on trial on new tax-evasion charges Thursday, despite widespread concern about her health as a prison inmate.

Tymoshenko, the country's top opposition leader, is already serving a seven-year prison term after being convicted of abuse of office in a case the West has condemned as politically motivated.

Prosecutors also have charged Tymoshenko with



Former Ukrainian prime minister Yulia Tymoshenko at trial in 2011.  
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evading tens of millions of hryvna (several million dollars) in taxes while heading an energy company in the mid-1990s.

She did not appear at the

trial in the eastern city of Kharkiv on Thursday due to a severe back problem.

Tymoshenko denies all the charges against her and says they are part of a campaign by her longtime foe, President Viktor Yanukovich, to bar her from politics.

Yanukovich narrowly defeated her in 2010 presidential elections.

Meanwhile, concerns mounted over Tymoshenko's health and treatment.

Dr. Karl Max Einhaeupl of Berlin's Charite clinic, who has examined Tymoshenko, told the Russian state-owned newspaper that she was suffering from a herniated disk, was in intense pain and needed urgent treatment at a specialized medical facility.

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"May stir up ... hatred"

### British police make arrests in posting racially inflammatory material to sites

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Police have seized computers, laptops and mobile phones from seven locations.

The cops said all five men were arrested "on suspicion of publishing or distributing written material which may stir up racial hatred."

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Garanhuns, Brazil

### Accused members of sect

The trio that allegedly killed at least two women and ate parts of their bodies may have murdered another five people in northeastern Brazil, police said Thursday.

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### Pollution activists march

Activists from Climate Rush make their way past the U.K. Houses of Parliament as part of a demonstration held against air pollution, in London, England, Thursday. TIM HALES/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Sick fish found in Gulf of Mexico where oil spill hit

Two years ago.

Scientists say some fish from area where the Deepwater Horizon rig exploded have large sores and black streaks



Fish bear hallmarks of diseases tied to petroleum and other pollutants.  
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Two years after the massive Gulf of Mexico oil spill, scientists say they are finding sick fish that dwell along offshore reefs and in the deep waters, especially in places where the oil spill hit the hardest.

The Deepwater Horizon rig exploded and sank two years ago, touching off the worst offshore spill in U.S. history.

The scientists are unsure what's causing a small percentage of the fish they're catching to have large open sores and strange black streaks.

The biggest question is

whether contaminants from the BP spill are causing the problems.

For now scientists can't say for sure if the spill is the cause or if it's normal to find this number of sick fish.

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# Russian punk

**Protest.** Three female punk rockers play surprise performance at Moscow's Christ the Savior Cathedral in protest against Putin

Police arrested more than 20 demonstrators Thursday as a Moscow court considered extending the detention of three female punk rockers arrested after a surprise protest performance against Vladimir Putin.

Five members of the

band Pussy Riot — wearing brightly colored homemade ski masks and miniskirts — briefly seized the pulpit of Moscow's Christ the Savior Cathedral — the country's main Orthodox church — in February and chanted "Mother Mary, drive Putin away" two weeks before Russia's presidential vote.

Putin, the prime minister, won a third presidential term in March's election despite a wave of massive protests against his rule.

The three women, Maria Alekhina, Nadezhda Tolokonnikova and Yekaterina Samutsevich, face up to seven years

in jail on charges of hooliganism.

The Tagansky district court is considering whether to keep them in custody on a police request pending the probe.

Supporters of the band, including prominent artists, musicians and activists, organized a protest festival outside the court.

More than 100 people, including journalists, gathered in the courtyard, some carrying balloons and posters.

They chanted "Freedom!" when the women were taken into the court.

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# Racist memorabilia meant



In a March 14, 2012 photo, David Pilgrim, the founder and curator who started building the Jim Crow Museum of Racist

### Steeped in racism

## Museum of racism cringe-worthy

The objects displayed in the U.S. state of Michigan's newest museum range from the ordinary, such as simple ashtrays and fishing lures, to the grotesque — a full-size replica of a lynching tree.

But all are united by a common theme: They are steeped in racism so intense that it makes visitors cringe.

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### Gut-wrenching

"There's parts in that room — the main room — where it's quite gut-wrenching. And the thought that was going through my mind was: 'How can one human being do this to another human being?'"

Nancy Mettlach, a student conduct specialist at Ferris State University



A display of colored items is seen at the Jim Crow Museum of Racist Artifacts, the nation's largest public collection of artifacts spanning from the civil rights movement, and beyond. CAR



# band arrested

## Protesting Putin

Orthodox activists also rallied, provoking Pussy Riot supporters and throwing eggs at bandmate Nadezhda Tolokonnikova's husband.

- The Russian Orthodox Church says the women deserve to be prosecuted for their "blasphemous" performance at the cathedral, although thousands of believers have signed a petition urging the church to forgive the band.
- Attorneys for the arrested

band members have argued the women should be released because they have young children

- Pussy Riot gained notoriety in January for performing a song addressed to Putin from a spot on Red Square. Videos of the performance became an instant Internet hit.
- Putin, the prime minister, won a third presidential term in March's election despite a wave of massive protests.



Maria Alyokhina of Pussy Riot is escorted to a courtroom in Moscow, Russia, on Thursday.  
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## to provoke thought



Memorabilia, adjusts a display at the museum in Big Rapids, Mich. CARLOS OSORIO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



W Museum, which says it has amassed the nation's largest collection of artifacts from the segregation era, from Reconstruction to the present. CARLOS OSORIO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Think deeply

### Museum meant to be thought provoking

Pilgrim, who is black, makes no apologies for the provocative exhibits.

The goal of the \$1.3 million gallery, he explained, is "to get people to think deeply." The n-word is prevalent throughout, and many items portray black men as lazy, violent or inarticulate.

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# 'Hard' sex injury results in compensation

**Court.** Judge rules Australian public servant entitled to compensation for psychological and facial injuries

An Australian public servant will receive compensation for injuries she sustained while having sex on a business trip.

Her claim was rejected at first by ComCare, the workers' compensation insurer for the Australian Commonwealth government, but she challenged the decision in the country's federal court.

"If the applicant had been injured while playing a game of cards in her motel room she would have been entitled to

compensation, even though it could not be said that her employer induced or encouraged her to engage in such an activity," said Justice John Nicholas, according to the BBC.

Nicholas ordered the government to pay her legal costs. The woman, whose name and place of work are protected under a publication ban, was hit by a glass light fitting above her bed while having sex in a motel room in 2007.

Her partner said they were "going hard," in his statement to the court, reported the Herald Sun. "I do not know if we bumped the light or it just fell off," he said. "I think she was on her back when it happened but I was not paying attention because we were rolling around."

The woman, in her late 30s, claimed compensation for psychological and facial injuries.

ies. She said she hurt her nose, mouth, and tooth, and was suffering from depression and anxiety.

Andrew Berger, the lawyer for ComCare, argued sex was not "an ordinary incident of an overnight stay like showering, sleeping or eating." Still, the federal judge said the lower courts had erred by saying the woman had to prove her injury was directly caused by an activity condoned by her employer.

In an email to the Star, Leo Grey, the woman's lawyer, said the case hinged on a "narrow legal issue," and was not about morality or humour.

"My client was actually quite significantly injured and emotionally traumatized," he said, "both by her injury and the way it has been reported as a subject of fun, which for her it is not." **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**



## Travelling animal clinic rolls into Detroit

A cat recuperates after sterilization at All About Animals' new mobile surgical unit at Azteco Supermercado in Detroit. The Detroit Free Press reports that All About Animals Rescue of Warren is using a \$225,000 mobile unit to spay and neuter pets. Owners drop their animals at the bus, which is retrofitted as a surgical facility.

SUSAN TUSA, DETROIT FREE PRESS/ THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

### Award

## A girl without hands wins penmanship prize

A Pittsburgh-area girl who was born without hands has won a penmanship award — and \$1,000 — from a company that publishes language arts and reading textbooks.

Zaner-Bloser Inc. recognized seven-year-old Annie

Clark at Wilson Christian Academy in West Mifflin on Wednesday with its first-ever Nicholas Maxim Award.

Nicholas was a Maine fifth-grader born without hands or lower arms who entered the company's penmanship contest last year.

His work impressed judges enough that they created a new category for students with disabilities.

After the ceremony Wednesday, Clark demon-

strated her ability to write by manipulating a pencil between her forearms.

Asked whether she was nervous about the attention, the girl said, "Not really, but kind of."

Annie has learned to paint, draw and colour.

She also swims, dresses, eats meals and opens cans of soda by herself, and uses her iPod touch and computers without assistance.

She hopes to someday write books about animals.

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Sudanese troops react to a visit by President Omar al-Bashir in al-Obeid, North Kordofan, Sudan, Thursday.  
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# UN urges Sudan and South Sudan to talk

**Arab League also concerned.** Step back from the brink of war and return to negotiating, says UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon

UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon urged Sudan and South Sudan on Thursday to step back from the brink of war and return to the negotiating table.

Ban called on South Sudan to immediately withdraw its forces from the oil-rich Heglig area, calling their inva-

**Time for peace, instead: UN**

"Sudan will cut off the hand that harms it," said Sudan's President Omar al-Bashir. He seized power in 1989.

sion "an infringement on the sovereignty of Sudan and a clearly illegal act." He called on the government of Sudan to immediately stop shelling and bombing South Sudanese territory and withdraw its forces from disputed territories including Abyei.

The secretary-general said both countries "must

stop supporting proxy forces against each other."

He spoke to reporters in New York Thursday as the Arab League announced it would hold an emergency meeting over the increasing violence between the two countries.

"This is not the time for war," the UN secretary-general told reporters at UN headquarters in New York.

"This is a time for leadership, for engagement, for negotiation — in the name of humanity, and in the interests of the people of both countries and the region," he said. A meeting of foreign ministers will be held next week. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Nigeria

### African country to open secret detention centre

Nigeria is opening a secret detention centre to hold and interrogate suspected high-level members of a radical Islamist sect. The sect is responsible for hundreds of killings this year alone.

While the facility could create a more cohesive effort among disparate and feuding security agencies in Nigeria, to combat the sect known as Boko Haram, it raises concerns about its use for torture.

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Nigeria. Radicals attack bakery and shoot others in the streets

Gunmen suspected of belonging to a radical Islamist sect attacked a bakery and shot others in the streets of a northeast Nigeria city, killing at least seven people, police said Thursday.

The attack again saw gunmen open fire in the city of Maiduguri, where the sect known as Boko Haram once had its main mosque.

The gunfire began late Wednesday, when suspected sect gunmen opened fire and shot dead an officer of the Nigeria Customs Service, Borno state police

spokesman Samuel Tizhe said.

The gunmen also killed a man selling drinking water in the street, Tizhe added.

Gunmen later opened fire at a bakery where workers had been working overnight in preparation for sales Thursday morning.

Five people were killed. It wasn't immediately clear why the sect attacked the bakery, which sits in a neighbourhood close to the local branch of Nigeria's Central Bank.

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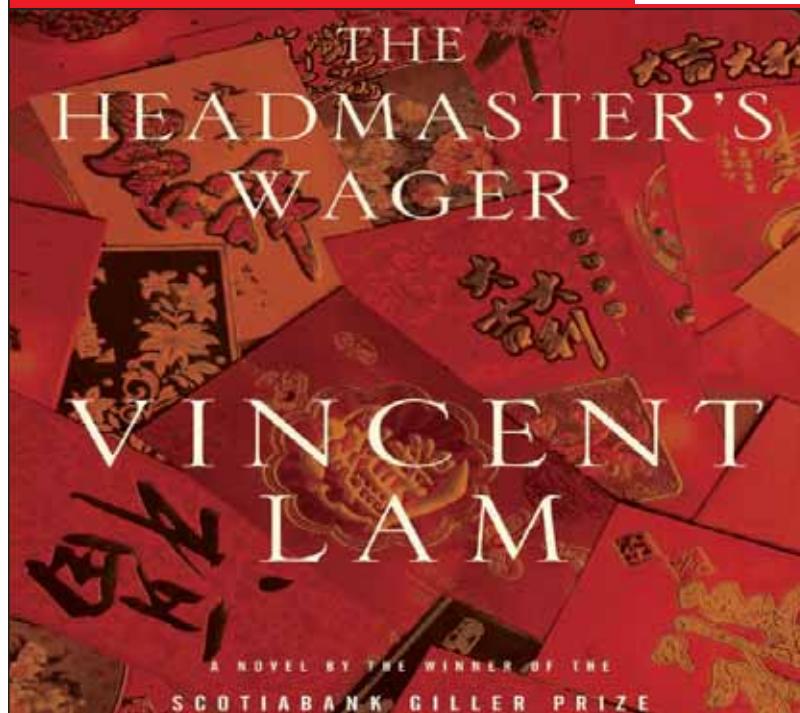


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# Police seize suspected speed bike

**Need for Speed.**  
Police find a suspect in their search for fast motorcyclist

Police on Vancouver Island have seized the motorcycle they believe was featured in a YouTube video racing along the Trans-Canada Highway

at speeds of almost 300 kilometres an hour.

Saanich police say a tip from the public led them to the suspect bike, a blue Yamaha, that bears scratches and other marks that match those visible in the video.

The motorcycle's owner is an Esquimalt woman, but police suspect her 25-year-old son was the offending driver, although they haven't been able

## YouTube

The video, which was posted to an anonymous YouTube account and has been viewed more than 100,000 times, shows a motorbike zooming between cars and trucks.

to prove that yet.  
The woman has been given

tickets for speeding, driving without due care, excessive speeding, and driving without insurance — all of which could result in fines totalling almost \$1,500. Police say the woman's son has more than two dozen traffic tickets for issues such as speeding and not having a valid driver's licence, and the motorcycle was not insured on the day the video was shot.

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This YouTube capture shows the view from a motorcycle traveling 300 kilometres an hour on the Trans-Canada Highway. YOUTUBE

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## Sex ed. Middle school teacher fired for performing in porn

A Southern California science teacher has been fired for performing in a pornographic video.

Oxnard School District trustees voted in closed session Wednesday night to fire Stacie Halas, who taught seventh- and eighth-graders at Richard B. Haydock Intermediate School.

She had been on paid administrative leave since her appearance on the video surfaced last month. No students are in the video.

The video, available on adult sex websites, was apparently produced before she became an Oxnard teach-

## Appeal

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Halas has 30 days to appeal the decision by requesting a hearing with an administrative law judge.

er in 2009.

Superintendent Jeff Chancer tells the Ventura County Star newspaper that her return to class would be disruptive.

Halas could not be reached, and the teacher union declined comment.

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## Alcohol

### Fat, not Dirty, Bastards allowed

You can buy Fat Bastard wine in Alabama, but you'll have to go elsewhere for Dirty Bastard beer.

The state alcoholic beverage control agency said Thursday it has banned Dirty Bastard beer because of profanity on its label. But the maker, Michigan-based Founders Brewing Co., can appeal the decision to the agency's board.

The state allows the sale of Fat Bastard wine. But board attorney Bob Martin says the brand was approved years ago, and he doesn't know the circumstances.

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## Hacking

### Abortion clinic targeted

Britain's largest abortion provider said Thursday that thousands of attempts have been made to hack its website following a high-profile security breach when personal details of 10,000 women were stolen.

Last week a judge jailed a computer hacker for breaking into the website of the British Pregnancy Advisory Service and stealing the data.

The service said that in the five weeks since the man's arrest, it had recorded around 2,500 attempts to hack its website, though none have succeeded.

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## Bugs begone

## Starbucks to stop using dye derived from beetles

Starbucks says it will stop using a red dye in its drinks that its drinks from crushed bugs.

The Seattle-based coffee chain said Thursday that it made the decision to reformulate its drinks after feedback from consumers.

The company says it will swap out cochineal extract, which is made from the juice of a tiny beetle, and instead use lycopene, a tomato-based extract. Starbucks had used the coloring in its strawberry flavoured mixed drinks and some red-hued snack items.

The company says the items will be reformulated by the end of June.

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## International asset

## CPP board acquires half of Chilean toll-road operator

The Canada Pension Plan Investment Board is committing \$1.14 billion to acquire about half ownership in five major toll roads in Chile, part of its strategy of making long-term investments to support future benefit payments. The rest of the Chilean company will be owned by the Atlantia Group, an Italian toll company.

Grupo Costanera will be another addition to the fund manager's other infrastructure holdings, which were worth \$8.6 billion as of Dec. 31.

However, the Chilean investment will represent a very small portion of the \$152.8 billion of assets in the CPP Fund as of the end of last year.

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# Apple planning a smaller iPad?

**Tech talk.** Rumours of a forthcoming 'iPad Mini' persist after reports that Apple has ordered small screens from Samsung

There's a constantly spinning mill of rumours about Apple products, most of which turn out to be untrue. What's unusual this week is that talk has revived of a smaller iPad model, an idea company founder Steve Jobs derided before he died.

Apple and its suppliers aren't commenting. Rumours of a smaller iPad, or "iPad mini" have percolated ever since the first iPad was launched two years ago. This time around, they're fed by media reports from South Korea, China and Taiwan, saying Apple has ordered Samsung screens that are 7.86 inches measured on the diagonal. That would make for a screen about half the size of the current iPad.



Last year, Amazon figured out how to crack Apple's stranglehold on tablets by making a half-size tablet. The result was the Kindle Fire, pictured.

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A smaller tablet would help Apple further its lead in the tablet market. Apple has successfully fended off competitors who have tried to sell tablets in iPad's size range. But last year, Amazon.com figured out how to crack Apple's stranglehold on tablets by making a half-size, no-frills tablet. The result was the Kindle Fire, which sells for \$199 - basically, the cost of pro-

duction. Amazon has sold millions of them.

Apple sells the iPod Touch for \$199, but its screen is about a quarter of the size of the Kindle Fire — a big disadvantage for people who want to enjoy books, movies and games. It also sells the older iPad model for \$399. It has nothing in between.

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## Social media

## Twitter swears off patent wars

Some high-profile tech sector entrepreneurs are rallying behind a new Twitter policy that will see the micro-blogging service refrain from using patents to launch pre-emptive legal strikes against rivals.

Twitter announced a draft policy it calls the Innovator's Patent Agreement that includes a vow not to sue for patent infringement unless it is defensive and the original developer gives permission.

Along with empowering Twitter's engineering and design staff, the policy is aimed at curbing the wave of patent lawsuits sweeping across the tech sector.

Twitter posted the agreement, to be implemented later this year, on an open-source developers' site soliciting comments from tech companies and says it is encouraging firms to "join the flock."

The policy represents a significant departure from the current state of affairs in the industry, Twitter says. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

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# HOUSE OF TRUMP CARDS FALLS



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**1** **House of Trump cards:** With regard to a glass window that fell from Toronto's new Trump Tower, Donald Jr. calmly stated, "If you know anything about

construction, that kind of thing just happens." So, you see folks, there's no reason to overreact. This man knows construction, and if he says that a large shard of glass falling 65 storeys onto one of the busiest streets in Toronto is no biggie, I, for one, feel better.

**2** **Sport of kings:** The king of Spain's 13-year-old grandson has literally shot himself in the foot. Felipe Juan Froilan, was spending "quality time" with dad and a 36-calibre shotgun when the accident occurred.

The eldest royal grandchild, well-known to Spanish media as just "Froilan," will henceforth be referred to as "Hijo del Tonto," or in English, "Son of that really dumb guy."

**3** **Hello, Goodbye:** Tickets for this summer's Garth Brooks show at the Calgary Stampede sold out in 58 seconds. Fans were outraged to find that some of the 15,322 tickets were available on "scalper" sites.

The stampede's publicity manager, Jennifer Booth, says tickets were available only through online and phone services, with no pre-sales or fan-club purchases, and a limit of six per person, providing yet another example of a job that doesn't require math.

**4** **Surprise! No prize:** The Pulitzers were awarded this week for the usual categories like history, biography and non-fiction, but for the first time in 35 years, there was no prize for fiction. The judges did not explain their decision but I'm guessing it's because there's enough fiction in those other categories already.

**5** **Race relations:** Mel Gibson is under fire once again for comments made on the set of his film about legendary Jewish hero, Judah Maccabee.

Gibson stated that he resents being reduced to the label of "anti-semitic," when he sees himself as a broader, equal-opportunity racist.

**6** **Live from the dead:** Fans were surprised, and a little freaked out when Tupac Shakur hit the stage at the Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival last week. A digital effects firm from California added mirrors to a CGI image of the late rap legend, creating the illusion that he was actually performing. Now, Snoop Dogg and Dr. Dre want to take him on tour. In fact, they prefer this Tupac as he incurs no travel costs or legal fees, and will not smoke any of their weed.

**7** **She's got talent:** CGT judge, Measha Brueggengosman has released a new album on which she strays slightly from her operatic roots. Online sales of her last album dwindled slightly because frankly, her name's too hard to spell, but I think she is gifted enough to join Madonna and Cher in the ranks of the mononymous. So join me in the campaign to rename one of our nation's treasures. Just "Measha." It works.



A holographic image of Tupac Shakur is seen performing during Day 3 of the 2012 Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival at the Empire Polo Field on April 15 in Indio, Calif. KEVIN WINTER/GETTY IMAGES

# Hanging on the edge (of a rock face)



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## Cliff hanger

### This is life, up against a wall

**MAKAPANSGAT, SOUTH AFRICA.** He is teetering on the edge of the cliff face, but British climber John Roberts is safe thanks to his trusty rope. This stunning image by seasoned climbing photographer Alex Messenger shows Roberts, 27, from Manchester, standing 100 metres above the African bush below.

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John Roberts

How did you manage to get stuck up there?

I was abseiling from the top of this cliff face in Makapansgat, a

paleontological limestone site in South Africa where important prehistoric fossils of man have been discovered. I stopped about halfway down to pose for the camera.

In situations when you slip, should you try to cling onto the rock face?

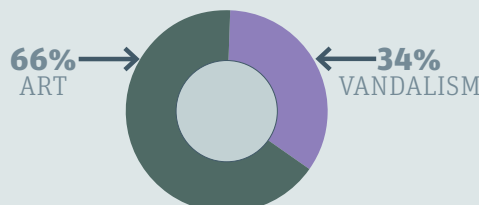
No, it's better if you just hang there for the moment and let the rope do the work for you.

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## Graffiti — art or vandalism?



## Twitter

**@MsNeonTyr:** Best @calgarytransit delay ever :cD Kinder spokespeople just boarded the bus giving out multiple Bueno bastos to everyone! #chocolate #yyc

**@Zerpower:** Just voted. Frankly that was a pain in the ass! #yyc

**@JohannesLanger:** Do the side streets of the Hamptons of #yyc not worthy of doork-

nocks, #yycfoothills candidates? None of you have visited us in #abvote 2012.

**@hoboqhire:** Ice Ice Baby playing in the Municipal Building atrium right now. #yyc #flashback #MCHammer-next?

**@Zarquil:** I just hope on April 24 I get to say, "At least we got that voter apathy problem licked." #abvote





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# The green machine

**Earth Day.** The Reel Guys take a look at Hollywood's attempts to educate us about the environment

**Richard:** Mark, the Disney-nature docs are great movies, but I think I'll kick off our look at Earth Day with an animated movie that packs just as much punch as *An Inconvenient Truth* and is twice as entertaining. *Wall-E* is a Pixar movie about a garbage-collecting robot on Earth, a planet made unlivable by waste and pollution. It's a funny, poignant masterpiece and perfect for the whole family on April 22.

**Mark:** *Wall-E* is certainly a masterpiece. But what about

*Avatar*? There's a film with a strong environmental message. Of course, you can only wonder how big of a carbon footprint is made from a \$200 million movie. But the strangest irony, Richard, might be the two of us discussing environmentally friendly flicks when we spend most of our time in darkened rooms!

**RC:** That's the way I like it; inside looking out. I save a fortune on sun block as well. Continuing our theme, I thought of some good Earth Day thrillers. Everyone remembers Julia Roberts as Erin Brockovich, a legal assistant who uncovers some grave environmental wrongdoing, but how about *Frogs*? This eco-terror film is about frogs who get revenge on polluters. Or *The Day After Tomorrow*, Dennis Quaid's ode to climate change?

Synopsis

Each year on Earth Day Disney-nature does their part to increase awareness and build an appreciation of our planet's natural environment by releasing documentaries. This year, it's *Chimpanzee*. These spectacularly photographed movies show us the world in ways we have never seen before. This week the Reel Guys have a look at other movies that celebrate and comment on Earth Day.

**MB:** Now there's a movie serious environmentalists never bring up. Too exciting, I suppose. But what about the granddaddy of eco-catastrophe, *The China Syndrome*? Made in 1977, it's as relevant today on the anti-nuke issue as it was then. And it stars

Jane Fonda in her smokin'-hot-but-with-a-conscience period. Or *Silkwood*, also about nuclear contamination, starring Cher in her smokin'-hot-but-you'd-never-know-it-in-those-outfits period.

**RC:** You know another movie serious environmentalists don't ever watch? *Bio-Dome*. Back when people went to Paulie Shore movies he made this movie about an environmental experiment, predating Al Gore's global warming message by years. Could Shore be an Earth Day pioneer?

**MB:** Maybe! He's definitely a pioneer of the word "dude." But when you think about it, environmental themes are everywhere. Aren't zombie films really about sustainability? And aren't cannibal movies about the importance of eating fresh, and locally?

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Scene in brief

**Ben Mulroney goes Live! again**

Ben Mulroney is set to co-host *Live!* with Kelly again, this time south of the border. The CTV eTalk co-anchor will join Kelly Ripa on her syndicated morning talk show in New York City on May 4, a month after he shared the stage with her during a taping in Banff, Alta. CTV, which airs *Live!* with Kelly in Canada, says the Banff episode featuring Mulroney as co-host garnered the show's highest audience ever in Canada, with 685,000 viewers. The guest on the May 4 episode will be Canadian Castle star Nathan Fillion.

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## Jason Statham. Actor gets tough with dinner plates in his new film

Not every actor can convincingly take out an enemy with a dinner plate, but British actor Jason Statham is a man of many talents. In his new film, *Safe*, he takes on New York City's Triads, Russian mafia and even corrupt cops. We talked to Statham about his life as an action hero.

**Your movies are very physical. Do you have the same training routine for every film?**

The fighting styles vary. They base it on what kind of skills the character has and how we can justify them. I suppose they always want to do something a bit different and it has to be a kind of spectacle in some way. This time it was picking up plates. I don't design the fights but I have my own say, if it's too ridiculous, although what is too ridiculous these days in action movies?

**Would you ever challenge yourself by not playing an action hero?**

That's like asking Hugh Grant if he wants to do what I do. You've got to match man with material. I feel that I'm better at this than I would be at playing a lawyer. Everyone's got a strength [and] maybe you should stick with that.

**Does it get easier playing similar sorts of characters?**

It's never comfortable, you have to make a convincing job of the character. It's not like you can just turn up and it just happens. You still have to emote a little bit. You have to try to put yourself in there. It depends at what level that emotion is and that's based on the writing and (the direction). So the fact that Lee Christmas (*The Expendables*) can beat five guys up and so can



Jason Statham stars as tough guy Luke Wright in *Safe*, which opens next Friday. HANDOUT

Frank Martin (*The Transporter*), doesn't make them the same... They've got a certain skill-set that will make you think on the surface that they're the same person, but they're not. One's called Frank, one's called Lee.

**What was it like working with Hollywood's biggest action actors on *The Expendables*?**

It was a great day for me; I kept the call sheet because I was a part of the biggest names in action movies of the last God knows how many years. I was in great company. Sylvester Stallone is someone I have such high regard for; he's a real inspiration. To be under the wing of that man is a privilege.

**Do you still do your own stunts?**

Yes, I'm still stupid. I'm still getting my money's worth. I like doing it.

EMMA E. FORREST, METRO WORLD NEWS IN LONDON

# Alison Brie shares her tricks for being Blunt

**The Five-Year Engagement.** Actress had to 'stalk' Emily Blunt to learn her mannerisms, speaking patterns for the role of Blunt's sister

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Metro World News in Hollywood

Alison Brie, familiar to fans of TV's *Community* and *Mad Men*, has been asked to do a lot of things before as an actress, but never to play British. And in the *Five-Year Engagement*, the request was a bit more specific than just play British: She had to be believable as Emily Blunt's sister. So, to prepare, Brie immersed herself in Blunt, watching everything she'd done, listening to tapes of her speaking, following her around all day — stalking, basically. Anything to nail a part, right?

**Did shadowing Emily so much to get the voice right ever get weird?**

It looked like I was Single White Female-ing her a lot of the time (laughs). If someone had taken a picture from across the room, it would've been weird — like her just laughing and talking, and me next to her just (staring intently), whispering what she was saying. But it didn't get weird, no. Not with Emily. Sometimes when we'd all be out, she'd have me do it. "She does a great me!" I was like, "Great..."

**Were there moments when you'd say something and she'd ask, "Do I really sound**



Alison Brie stars in *The Five-Year Engagement*, which opens next Friday. HANDOUT

**like that?"**

No, no. I think she'd more correct me, like, "I don't sound like that."

**You have a standout scene toasting the happy couple — and weeping uncontrollably. How much of that was improvised?**

It was very collaborative. I remember we got to set that day, and (director) Nick Stoller came up and he was like, "You know, we're not totally sold with what we have in the script for this, so whatever ideas you have, we'll all just kind of work on it today." So there's definitely a lot of different versions of

that. There's one with me dancing, doing the robot. It always involved me crying and sort of not being able to get through crying. Nick was like, "What other ways... try to make yourself stop crying!" And apparently the way that I make myself stop crying is talking in a creepy, low voice. Good to know about myself!

**The supporting cast is full of NBC sitcom actors, like Chris Pratt, Mindy Kaling and Chris Parnell. Plus Emily is married to John Krasinski from *The Office*. Did you all ever gang up on Jason Segel, since his show is on CBS?**

### TV updates

Alison Brie has plenty of small screen work, appearing on the critically acclaimed *Mad Men*, which just launched its fifth season, and *Community*, which despite its extremely loyal fan-base is in danger of cancellation.

No! No, not at all. I think it was a ploy on his part, he kept us pretty spaced out. I didn't have any scenes with Mindy. They didn't have us all together to gang up on him.



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Documentary



**Bully**

Director. Lee Hirsch

Stars. Alex, Ja'Meya, David Long

Bully is a heartbreaking film about how bullying can ruin lives and take them. Following victims of bullies across America, the film explores the problem and what is and isn't being done to stop it. Hirsch documents kids like Alex from Sioux City, Iowa, who are tormented daily. Here's where Hirsch steps in. The director makes no attempt to appear objective. He wants his film to make a difference; he wants to end bullying.

REGAN REID

Documentary



**Chimpanzee**

Directors. Alastair Fothergill, Mark Linfield

Stars. Tim Allen

Led by the slightly oddball casting of Tim Allen as narrator, the Disney nature documentary Chimpanzee aims to entertain young audiences with a watered-down examination of the daily life of little orphaned ape Oscar. While the footage is certainly striking, the softened story is unfortunately less telling than the behind-the-scenes outtakes played over the end credits.

STEVE GOW

Drama



**The Lucky One**

Director. Scott Hicks

Stars. Zac Efron, Taylor Schilling

No amount of bicep curls will ever turn Zac Efron into a master thespian. And while the star carries a generic, albeit beefed-up, presence as a soldier tracking down the girl from a discarded photo he found overseas, the sheer melodrama of the premise only underscores Efron's banality. Based on Nicholas Sparks's book, The Lucky One is pure romantic wish-fulfillment that's as easily digested as it is forgotten.

STEVE GOW

# Batmobile builder drives cancer fight

**Fundraiser.** B.C. man brings Batman's ride to Burnaby to help raise money for cancer research

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Andy Smith in Burnaby, B.C.. PHYLICIA TORREVILLAS

With the help of a B.C. man., Batman will be cruising along Gotham and fighting the bad guys in style.

Deep Cove resident Andy Smith, the designer and builder of the newest Batmobile, showed off the caped crusader's hot wheels at the Electronic Arts studios in Burnaby to help raise money for cancer research earlier this week.

Smith said the Batmobile Tumbler was driven up from California on a flatbed truck uncovered and caused quite a commotion as it passed through the border.

Smith, along with a team of engineers, created the Batmobiles that were used for Bat-

man Begins, The Dark Knight and the soon-to-be-released The Dark Knight Rises.

"Three years ago, I had my run-in with cancer," Smith said. "I was diagnosed and the cancer agency fixed me. I thought now I've got a chance to give something back."

He said bringing the Batmobile is his way of giving thanks to the doctors and the B.C. Cancer Agency who helped him during his fight with the disease.

"You're fit and healthy

and life is rocking along and then the rug gets pulled out from underneath you and everything stops," he said. "I consider myself extremely lucky ... (and now) I'm at the other side. I've been clear for three years."

Batman fans who donated to the B.C. Cancer Foundation scored a chance to see the Batmobile up close at the Electronic Arts studios in Burnaby.

The Batmobile Tumbler will hit movie screens this summer in The Dark Knight Rises.

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Gone (14A) Fri-Thu 10  
The Grey (14A) Fri-Thu 9:35  
Hugo (PG) Fri-Thu 1:3-45-6:55-9:40  
The Iron Lady (PG) Fri-Thu 3:50-7:15  
Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:45-7:20-9:50  
Safe House (14A) Fri-Thu 1:25-4-7-9:45  
The Secret World of Arrietty (G) Fri-Thu 1:15-4-7:05  
This Means War (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-4:10-7:05-9:55  
Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy (STC) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:50-6:50  
The Vow (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-3:55-7:30  
Wanderlust (14A) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:50-6:45

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The Cabin in the Woods (18A) Fri-Thu 1:15-3:40-7:45-10:20  
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The Three Stooges (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:55-7:15-10:10  
Titanic 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 12:4-15-8:30

Wrath of the Titans (14A) Fri-Sat 12:45 Mon-Thu 12:45  
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Vicky Donor (STC) Stadium Seating, SR Dolby Digital Fri-Sun 12-3-6:40-9:30 Stadium Seating, SR Dolby Digital Mon-Thu 3-6:40-9:30  
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Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:45-6:40-10  
Mission: Impossible — Ghost Protocol (14A) Fri-Thu 6:45-9:25  
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Babe (STC) Sat 11  
Breakfast at Tiffany's (STC) Sun 1

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The Raid: Redemption (18A) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:10-5:40-8:10-10:40  
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Wrath of the Titans (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:10  
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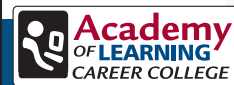
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## TV picks

## The bell rings on Ringer's first season

Ringer, starring Sarah Michelle Gellar, wraps up its freshman season Friday. The pulpy drama was shaky at first but improved toward the end of its inaugural run after embracing its soapy side. In the finale, Bridget decides to tell Andrew the truth about her identity, while Agent Machado is forced off the case. (Global)

## Plenty of Sci-fi

Sci-fi fans have a rich array of options Saturday. The popular supernatural British series Being Human wraps its fourth season on Space as the heroes come between the Old Ones and global destruction. Meanwhile, Steven Spielberg's classic Close Encounters of the Third Kind airs on Turner Classic Movies followed by the 1975 cult favourite Rollerball, and IFC is broadcasting the chilling 2009 Cormac McCarthy adaptation The Road.

## Want some laughs or family fare?

There are films of nearly every other genre on offer Saturday, too. Comedy fans can choose between Office Space on Teletoon and Miss Congeniality on Bravo. Those looking for family fare will find it with Diva's Night at the Museum and those in the mood for a gritty thriller might enjoy Steven Soderbergh's 1999 flick The Limey, starring Peter Fonda and Terence Stamp and airing on IFC.

## Good finish for The Good Wife

A strong year for The Good Wife nears its close with Sunday's penultimate episode. Two of the intelligent legal drama's ongoing plotlines will get plenty of screentime tonight, as Cary makes a decision about his career while Kalinda grapples with Agent Delaney's investigation. Alicia, meanwhile, represents a judge facing misconduct charges. (CBS, Global)

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# 'You probably know more than I do'

**Television.** The cast might not know it, but new Arrested Development episodes will premiere next year on Netflix

AMBER M. RAY  
Metro New York

Fans long awaiting new episodes of Arrested Development will soon get their fix — and all at once.

While onstage at the National Association of Broadcasters convention on Tuesday, Netflix chief Ted Sarandos announced that all 10 episodes of the fourth season of Arrested Development will premiere together, on one day, sometime next year on the streaming website, reports Vulture.

The announcement may be news to Arrested star Tony Hale, who plays dysfunctional youngest son Buster Bluth. While promoting his new political satire Veep in an interview on Monday, Hale told us he prefers to be blissfully unaware of details regarding the series' return.

"The bummer is you probably know more than I do," Hale said when asked for any news on the sitcom's revival, but then added, "what I do know is (production) is definitely happening this summer."

Hale said the writers are almost finished penning scripts, but that he is deliberately staying out of the loop when it comes to potential storylines.

"Here's the thing: I really don't want to hear the plotlines because the whole fun of the show was the element of surprise, where we would be doing the show and then all of a sudden we'd read a script and I'd be like, 'OK, well, in



Arrested Development is set for a return. HANDOUT

this episode my hand's coming off," he says, referring to Buster's infamous incident with a biting seal.

"I love that surprise, so I kind of don't want any information. I just want to be completely surprised as to what Mitch (Hurwitz, Arrested creator) has come up with."

As for that rumoured Arrested movie, "I don't know that much information but I think like anything you take

it project by project," Hale says.

"I think we're all just kind of focusing on the episodes right now, and if the movie happens, it happens, that's fantastic. But I'm excited about the episodes. Everybody in the cast is just so fun; I can't wait to not be able to hold it together because I'm laughing so hard."

But returning to full-time Buster mode requires just as

much work as play.

"Buster has, you know, very interesting shoes to step into," Hale says, "so I've gotta kind of get back into that mindset. It's weird. The show finished six years ago and I actually haven't — I think I've seen two episodes since it stopped. So my wife and I are kind of going to do a marathon viewing before we start shooting just so I can get back into that mindset."

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- “Keep some mystery to

your profile. Be flirty. Keep them guessing, and make them curious, so they will want to learn more about you.

- “Photos are important. We are all visual creatures, but three to five photos are enough, including one headshot, one or two body shots and a couple of you having fun. You want to show your personality, not your narcissism.”

# Boot camp for singles

**Reality TV.** Steve and JoAnn Ward correct dating no-nos on VH1’s *Tough Love*

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No one ever said dating was easy, but there are quite a few

people in the world who are particularly challenged when it comes to landing a mate.

Whether too eager to settle for less or too picky about their dating prospects, there are a host of reasons why some ladies are chronically single. But for those women, Steve and JoAnn Ward come to the rescue. In the fourth season of their incredibly successful reality show, *Tough Love*, the Wards take some

particularly troubled cases to boot camp in order to help them change their dating ways. We asked JoAnn about how they make love happen.

**What do you find to be the most annoying common mistakes that women make on a first date?**

Comparing their date to their ex, talking too much about anything. Talk, talk, talk, talk ... stop talking! Listen to learn. (When they are) negative about anything. Always be positive. (When they) have too much to drink. Two, at the most three, glasses of wine are plenty — any more and you risk losing control.

**What did you want to change from last season to this season?**

We really focused on carefully casting this season to bring a blend of women into the mix that have a range of life experience: single moms, divorced women and a few others that surprised us.

We felt it would also give an interesting perspective

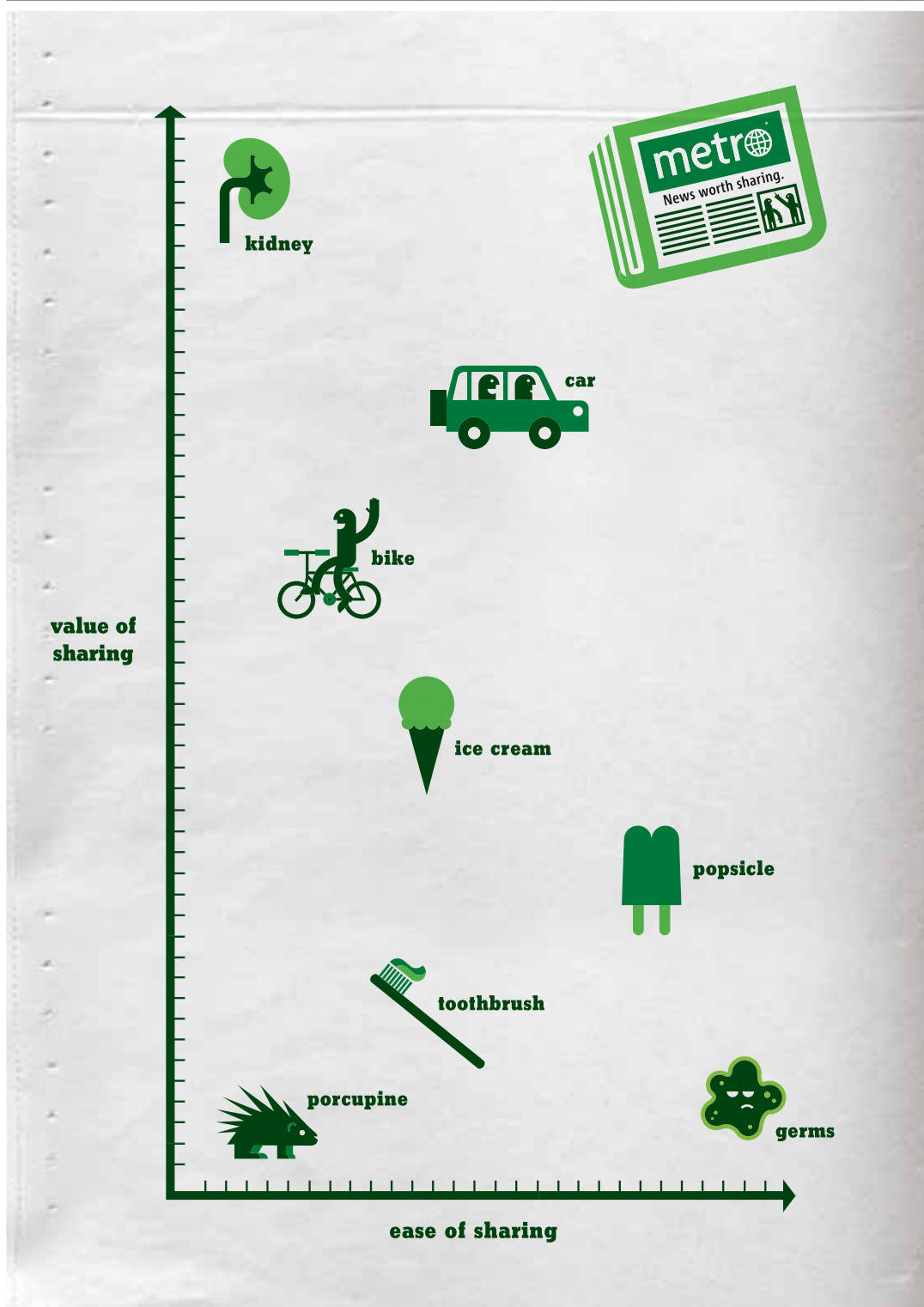
having women of all ages — from the mid-20s through 40s — living together.

We hoped that doing this would make the ladies more at ease in getting them to open up more to each other sooner, and it worked.

**Do you feel that the women on the show this season represent the archetypes of single women? As if to say, if you’re a single woman, your problem is likely one of the issues these women have?**

I believe women will have shared similar life experiences as this cast and certainly will see a little bit of themselves in this season.

We get very deep with the women and the experiences they have during their time with us on VH1’s *Tough Love*: New Orleans. It plays out on camera, and it even extends beyond. I deeply care for these girls, both past and present, and continue to work with them far after the show airs, offering advice and guidance.



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## Is the bodyguard the real father to Blanket?

Michael Jackson's former bodyguard, Matt Fiddes, claims the late singer's youngest child is actually his biological son — and he's willing to prove it.

Fiddes says Jackson even told him the truth after baby Blanket was born.

"I sat there and asked the question, 'Is Blanket my child?'" Fiddes tells the Daily Star. "He said, 'He's my child, Matt, but I used your sperm to produce him.'"

Standing in his way, though, is Michael's mother, Katherine Jackson, who has sole custody of the child.

"Katherine's worried we will come after the estate and will tell the kids the truth," Fiddes says. "But to me the truth is the big issue, and that's why I want to take it further. I'm a self-made man, I don't want or need their money. All I want is access if he's my child, to take him out, and spend some time together."

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#### The Word



## Vanessa Lachey on pregnancy, Nick



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Vanessa Lachey is a very dutiful pregnant woman, saying she's "only gotten better" as she's entered her second trimester.

Really? She doesn't miss, say, scotch?

"Honestly, when people have drinks around me, the smell makes me want to vomit. I haven't even missed coffee too much. I feel like you are giving up these things for a great reason," she told us about her pregnancy while promoting Take

a Load Off day on behalf of P&G Future Friendly and Tide Coldwater, which is encouraging the public to only wash their clothing in cold water this Earth Day to save on energy costs.

However, this very pregnant lady called shenanigans on Mrs. Lachey, as, come on, there has to be one complaint. (Vomiting? Swollen ankles? Give us something here, Vanessa!). And only after a little badgering from yours truly did she fess up to one complaint.

"Fatigue hit me hard," she finally admitted. "Sometimes I'll hit the couch for two or three hours and feel like I have to apologize to Nick, like: 'I'm sorry I'm so lazy!'"

Vanessa Lachey is a better pregnant lady than I. Two hours on the couch is my exercise for the day — but it only counts as exercise if I keep my eyes open the entire time.

## A move to the 'burbs?

Though they've only been dating six months, Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds are reportedly ready to settle down in the suburbs, according to Us Weekly.

The two actors "have been looking around different areas of Connecticut," a source claims, citing a recent trip the pair took to the posh suburb of New Canaan to sightsee.

"They love getting out of the city and appreciate a slower pace." Another source says that moving in together is the next logical step, given how close they've become. "Ryan is practically living with her already," the source says. "When he's at her apartment, it feels like home."



## Carey Mulligan set to tie the knot: Report

Carey Mulligan and musician Marcus Mumford are reportedly getting married this weekend during a ceremony in the English countryside, according to Radar Online.

"Carey and Marcus are counting down the days till they tie the knot. She is absolutely walking on air and can hardly contain her excitement," a source says.

"They don't care that some of their friends think they are rushing things." The couple have been engaged for nine months and dating for about a year, though they first got to know each other as pen pals when they were teenagers.

"It's going to be an amazing weekend as they will be surrounded by their closest family and friends," the



Carey Mulligan

source says.

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## What's beef without the perfect wine?



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Hamburgers seem to be making a comeback, and I'm not talking about the fast food variety.

The gourmet burger scene is red hot with the population of ultra premium joints exploding across the country.

What differentiates them from the average patty flipper is the originality of their output (Kobe beef anyone?) and the, ahem, higher prices.

My home versions are a tad more pedestrian. Even I can make a decent attempt from scratch, and the surprisingly pleasant weather has got me firing up the barbecue earlier than usual.

Some might argue that wasting anything above a simple table wine on a hamburger is just shy of sacrilegious. With most of us lathering our meat with cheese and a cornucopia of condiments; the flavour profile of a standard backyard creation is anything but typical.

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The fast-food flavours of this recipe will whet any kid's palate, and adults will appreciate how fast the mini loaves cook compared to regular meat loaf.

For a wholesome meal that is ready when you are, make them ahead and freeze some mini meat

loaves.

Wrap each cooled meat loaf separately in plastic wrap or foil, then freeze for up to three months.

When you're ready to serve then, thaw the meat and heat them in the microwave in just minutes.

1. In bowl, combine beef, egg, 125 ml (1/2 cup) of the cheese, onion, bread crumbs, relish, mustard, salt and pepper. Mix lightly but thoroughly to blend.

2. Lightly spray 12 muffin or custard cups with cooking spray. Divide beef mixture among cups; make in-

dentation in centre of each with the back of a spoon.

3. Fill each with ketchup, dividing amount evenly among cups. Sprinkle each with remaining cheese, dividing equally.

4. Bake in a 190 C (375 F) oven for 25 to 30 minutes or until a digital rapid-read thermometer inserted into meat portion of each reads 71 C (160 F). **THE CANADIAN PRESS/CANADA BEEF, BEEFINFO.ORG/ THIS RECIPE WAS ADAPTED BY EMILY RICHARDS, FOR METRO ENGLISH CANADA. EMILY IS A PROFESSIONAL HOME ECONOMIST, COOKBOOK AUTHOR AND TV CELEB-**

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### Ingredients

- 750 g (1 1/2 lb) extra lean or lean ground round, chuck or sirloin
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- 1 small finely shredded onion
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) dry bread crumbs
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Pro-sumers are the new environmentally friendly consumer, says Keith Treffry, director of communications, Earth Day Canada.

Treffry defines a “pro-sumer” as someone who is environmentally proactive and aware when they shop.

“The goal is to make informed decisions and to purchase items that have the least impact on the environment — if a purchase is made at all.”

Here are the types of questions pro-sumers ask when weighing their buying decisions.

- Do I need this or just want it? “Err more on the side of really needing things instead of just wanting things,” says Treffry.
- Can I make do with what I already have at home? While resisting peer pressure can be tough, try not to be pressured into buying the latest product. It’s likely that by the time you buy it, a newer,

slightly modified version will be out.

- How will this purchase impact the environment? One big consideration is packaging. Avoid overpackaged goods or leave packaging behind to send a message to the retailer and manufacturer.

- How green is the product in terms of its manufacture? Do some research and find out what the reputation of the manufacturer is in terms of environmental record and corporate social responsibility.
- Once you are finished with the product,

how long will it take for it to be reintegrated into the Earth, or is that even possible?

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- Has a small, high-efficiency air conditioner, but relies most on natural cooling methods in the summer — shutting blinds and curtains during the day and opening windows at night.
- Bought a push mower instead of gas- or electric-powered.
- Shares tools and ladders with neighbours — “rather than each one of us buying our own.”
- Shares a car with his ex-wife (whoever has the kids gets the car).
- Doesn't drive to work — he bikes all year round.



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## THE ORGANIC WAY

It wasn't long ago that organic foods were just a novelty and not largely available, says Treffry. “But, gradually, many consumers decided they weren't going to buy certain foods unless it was organic.”

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# WHO'S LAUGHING NOW

## OILSEED WORKS WINS 2011 EARTH DAY SMALL BUSINESS AWARD

They all laughed at Christopher Columbus, goes the song. Greg Herriott got the same reaction in the early '90s when he first tried peddling hemp as food.

It's because of the cannabis connection, explains Herriott, whose company, Oilseed Works, won the Earth Day Canada 2011 Small Business Award.

Initially, Herriott wasn't interested in creating a company to sell hemp. He only wanted to create a marketing campaign to show-

case his graphic design firm's abilities. When a close friend living in Oregon sent him info about industrial hempseed oil, he recognized its promotional aspects immediately.

But further research revealed so many environmental and health benefits that Herriott thought he might be on to something. The "ad campaign" generated such a positive response, he filed trademark applications, tried cold-pressing the hempseed oil, and shopped it around.

That's when some people laughed, though others

were intrigued, Herriott says. Hemp oil's health benefits — an 82 per cent concentrate of essential fatty acids including omega-3 and naturally occurring antioxidants — were virtually unknown.

Herriott and his wife eventually purchased a 50-acre farm north of Barrie, Ont., and launched Oilseed Works ([hempola.com](http://hempola.com)), which creates products made from non-genetically modified oilseeds.

That same year, 1999, they developed a line of salad dressings, working with Daniel & Daniel, and experimented with turning hemp into flour for baking. A byproduct of the oil is a pellet-formed seed cake, which can be turned into dense 40 per cent protein flour, ideal for heavy breads. Being gluten free, it's also suitable for wheat allergies.

Hemp flour and protein powder were catching on and others started to produce it. Since flour couldn't be made without cold-pressing oil, it left the Herriotts with an oil overstock. They knew from research, though, that biodiesel could be made from hemp. Produced in 100-litre batches, the fuel ran all the farm's machinery.

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# SMART WATER CHOICE HELPS THE PLANET

## DROP THOSE DISPOSABLE WATER BOTTLES FOR GOOD

Making a green resolution this Earth Day? How about giving up disposable water bottles for good? Not only will your wallet thank you, but using fewer water bottles also does the Earth good.

Start to finish, there are several environmental-related

issues related to these disposables, notes Jed Goldberg, president of Toronto-based Earth Day Canada.

### BY THE NUMBERS

- The Canadian Bottled Water Association notes that bottled water packaging accounts for 40 per cent of all plastic beverage container packaging.
- The plastic required to create all the water bottles used by Canadians each year weighs more than 1,300 empty Boeing 747 airplanes.
- Energy used to make them is enough to power 190,000 homes.

### THE GOOD NEWS

- Canadians are drinking less bottled water. Statistics Canada reports that in 2009, 24 per cent of households drank bottled water as their primary source of water. That was down 30 per cent from 2007.

tremendous amount of energy and then the transportation of it.”

The industry also uses an estimated three litres of water to produce one litre of bottled water, and there is a lot of energy that goes into the processing of the water, adds Jode Roberts, spokesperson for the Vancouver-based David Suzuki Foundation.

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## HEATHER MACFADYEN IS A HOMETOWN HERO

When Heather MacFadyen looks out her kitchen window, what she sees takes her breath away — miles of rolling green-clad foothills, the Bow River, grazing elk and the towering ranges of the Rocky Mountains.

The natural beauty has delighted generations and she takes pride knowing that thanks to her hard work and that of others, it will be here for generations to come.

This environmental hero was raised to be a steward to the land, her family loving the Rockies and Canmore, Alta., for generations. But in 1992, MacFadyen and her husband established their home there, and the psychologist and university professor realized that if she truly valued the land, she needed to fight for it.

Encroaching development threatened wildlife that needed to travel safely through the Three Sisters Corridor between Banff National Park and the Wind Valley. “I began to realize this



Heather MacFadyen

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was something I could do,” she recalls. “It became my self-chosen avocation.”

For 11 years, she co-ordinated meetings, petitions and letter-writing campaigns to create a scientifically

functional wildlife corridor running 14 kilometres through the Bow Valley — with width and slope that could be used by bears, cougars, wolves, elk and deer to travel and feed without en-

countering people — protected in perpetuity.

She also helped persuade the province of Alberta to return 57 acres of land to Bow Valley Wildland Park and the Wind Valley Corridor.

Her effort earned her the 2010 Earth Day Canada Hometown Heroes Individual Award.

But more than that, it earned her the right to look out her window at one of the most beautiful places on Earth, unspoiled habitat in all directions, and know that it will be protected forever.

There is just one piece of the puzzle she has yet to complete. She and fellow conservationists continue to lobby for provincial protection of the last three kilometres of the corridor, the connecting link between Banff and Wind Valley.

It is work we should all do, she says, when we find a place on Earth that we value.

“If you see things that are fragile, that are special environmentally, get involved in committees and boards, just get out there and be a force.”

— Kim Zarzour



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NHL

## Brodeur sets new shutout standard in Game 4 victory

Martin Brodeur bounced back from his shortest post-season performance with a record-setting 24th Stanley Cup playoff shutout, leading the New Jersey Devils to a 4-0 victory over the Florida Panthers Thursday night, tying their first-round series at 2-2.

Brodeur made 26 saves in taking over sole possession of the post-season shutout mark from Patrick Roy. The 39-year-old goaltender also added his second assist of the series, giving him 10 for his career, four behind all-time leader Grant Fuhr.

The effort came two days after Brodeur was lifted after giving up three goals in 22:18 in a 4-3 loss.

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New Jersey's Ilya Kovalchuk celebrates his goal on Thursday.  
JULIO CORTEZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NHL

## Coyotes take commanding lead over Blackhawks

Mikkel Boedker scored in overtime for the second straight game and the Phoenix Coyotes beat the Chicago Blackhawks 3-2 on Thursday night to take a 3-1 lead in the first-round series. Boedker skated ahead of defenceman Nick Leddy and shovelled the puck under goalie Corey Crawford at 2:15 in the fourth straight game that has gone to an extra period.

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Capitals defenceman Mike Green clears the puck from in front of Braden Holtby's net on Thursday in Washington. PATRICK McDERMOTT/GETTY IMAGES

# Holtby bounces back for Capitals

**NHL.** Washington goalie makes 44 saves to help his team win 2-1 over the Bruins

Until a week ago, Braden Holtby's only NHL playoff experience came from watching games on TV.

Still, the 22-year-old goalie of the Washington Capitals thinks like a veteran. When Holtby was so-so in Washington's Game 3 loss in its first-round series against the reigning Stanley Cup champion

Game 4	
2	1
Capitals	Bruins

Boston Bruins, he didn't let it bother him. And when the kid gave up a tying goal through his legs in Game 4, he shook that off, too.

The post-season rookie was superb before and after that one blip Thursday night, finishing with 44 saves, and Alexan-

der Semin scored the go-ahead goal, leading the seventh-seeded Capitals to a 2-1 victory over the second-seeded Bruins that tied the Eastern Conference series at two games apiece.

"That's one of the things I've just learned over the years: Realize what you did wrong and try and fix it and then you're done with it," Holtby said. "You're moving on."

Olie Kolzig, the longtime Capitals goalie who's now their associate goaltender coach, said he turned to goaltender coach Dave Prior after Boston's Rich Peverley tied the game in the first period.

"We weren't happy with that goal. That's not the way he should play that goal, but he has the ability to bounce back," Kolzig said. "He's a bit of a resilient kid, and he proved it. That's what you want: You want a kid to have a short memory, especially in the playoffs."

The Canadian is 16 years younger than Bruins goalie Tim Thomas, who earned last season's Conn Smythe and Vezina trophies, and is playing in his first NHL post-season because of injuries to Washington's top two goalies, Tomas Vokoun and Michal Neuvirth.

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**"You have no idea how incredibly difficult that was because of the amount of respect we have for Roberto, not only as a goalie and as a professional, but as a man."**

Vancouver Canucks associate coach Rick Bowness on the decision by head coach Alain Vigneault and his staff to go with backup Cory Schneider in Wednesday's must-win Game 4 over Roberto Luongo. Schneider made 43 saves in a 3-1 win in Los Angeles as the Canucks staged off elimination, reducing their series deficit to 3-1 in the best-of-seven Western Conference quarter-final series, which resumes Sunday in Vancouver.

On the web



**Hall of famer Larry Brown is dusting off his clipboard to take another kick at the coaching can. The 71-year-old was hired Thursday at SMU, a struggling NCAA basketball program that is headed to the Big East after next season. Scan the code for the story.**

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## NHL

## Referee comments cost Quenneville

The NHL fined Chicago Blackhawks coach Joel Quenneville \$10,000 on Thursday for criticizing officials for not penalizing Phoenix forward Raffi Torres' late hit on Marian Hossa.

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## NFL

## Luck to be Colts No. 1 pick: Source

A person speaking on condition of anonymity with direct knowledge of the situation said Thursday that the Colts have notified quarterback Andrew Luck that they plan to take him with the No. 1 pick in next week's NFL draft, barring some unforeseen



Andrew Luck with Stanford last season. CHRISTIAN PETERSEN/GETTY IMAGES

event between now and then. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Baseball

## Minor-leaguers banned for PEDs

St. Louis Cardinals minor-league pitcher Jose Pasen and Miami Marlins minor-league infielder Jaime Ortiz were given 50-game bans Thursday for testing positive for performance-enhancing drugs.

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## NHL



**"I try to push that aside and just go out and try to play a real solid game and come out with a win."**

Detroit defenceman Nicklas Lidstrom on the possibility of Game 5 being his last game before retirement.

## NBA

## Tempers flare as Heat beat the Bulls

LeBron James had 27 points and 11 rebounds, Dwyane Wade scored 18 points and Miami tightened up the race in the East by beating the Bulls 83-72 in a scuffle-filled matchup Thursday night. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Hockey greats taken aback by first-round intensity

**NHL.** Arbour, Gretzky, Cherry speak against rough stuff making headlines

If old-time hockey is back, it's left many — from Al Arbour to Wayne Gretzky and even Don Cherry — questioning whether they like the gritty sequel.

Stopping well short of making comparisons to the bloody, Broad Street Bully era of the 1970s, Arbour is upset with the head-hunting and suspension-a-day headlines dominating the first round of the playoffs.

"It surprises me," the retired hall of fame coach said by phone from his home in Florida. "Never mind what it was in our day. It's getting carried away. They're getting carried away with everything. They're reckless in what they're doing right now."

Watching games every night on TV, Arbour was bothered seeing Sidney Crosby and Claude Giroux exchange punches during Game 3 of the Penguins-Flyers' series. And he was particularly upset to see Phoenix's Raffi Torres go unpenalized after launching

into Marian Hossa with such force that the Chicago forward had to be carted off the ice on Tuesday.

"Yes, it does bother me," Arbour said. "It bothers me a lot."

He's not alone in wondering whether today's game is crossing the line from thrilling to thuggery.

"It's a little bit risqué right now, there's no question," Gretzky told Philadelphia's Fanatic-Radio.

"They talk about the Flyers back in the '70s, guys like Bobby Kelly, Moose Dupont and Dave Schultz. But you never really saw those guys go after guys like Bobby Orr or Mario Lemieux or Phil Esposito," Gretzky said.

Cherry, a former coach and longtime commentator on CBC's Hockey Night in Canada, drew the line when it came to blindsides such as the one Torres delivered, and Rangers forward Carl Hagelin's elbow that knocked out Senators captain Daniel Alfredsson in Game 2 of their series.

"To me, they're cheapshots," Cherry said on his Coach's Corner segment Wednesday. "They are not warriors when you blindsides guys like that."

Through the first eight days of the playoffs, nine players have been issued suspensions, including Torres who will learn whether his indefinite ban will be extended following a hearing Friday. Two other players, Penguins coach Dan Bylsma and the Ottawa Senators have also been fined.

Penalty minutes are also up over previous playoff first rounds. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



Daniel Alfredsson on the ice following an elbow from Carl Hagelin April 14 in New York City. BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

## Governor General's stance

Violence in the playoffs is anti-Canadian and sets a worrisome example for young players, says the Governor General.

- David Johnston fears the mounting violence that is creating a culture that undermines everything hockey should be.

- "When our kids see this beautiful game where the idea is to injure someone, or to escalate the level of conflict every time the play stops, it's just not the way we raise our children," he said in an interview at Rideau Hall. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## NBA. League sees no future for shorter schedule

The shorter NBA season is on the way out.

Though the league says ratings are up and attendance will be about the same as last season, deputy commissioner Adam Silver sees no future for a 66-game schedule.

"If you cut the season shorter, we cut our revenues significantly as well. Players would make less, so no, and I think it's not optimal to play a condensed season in this fashion," he said Thursday.

"I think both we and the players' union recognized that going in, but it was a compromise on both our parts to maximize the amount of salary players would get this season and to have as authentic a season as

## Injuries not an issue?

NBA president Joel Litvin said there were actually fewer injuries to top players — 35 this season for players who were all-stars in the previous two years, down from 43 last season.

possible."

The normal 82-game season wasn't possible when owners and players couldn't agree to a new collective bargaining agreement. The sides agreed to fit in 66 games starting on Christmas, each team playing about two extra games a month. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Honourees. Lueders gets call for Canadian Hall

Pierre Lueders, the Olympic bobsled champion who drove Canada into the world's elite in the sport, joins eight others who will be inducted into Canada's Sports Hall of Fame later this year.

Hockey player Scott Niedermayer, speedskater Jeremy Wotherspoon, soccer player Charmaine Hooper, rower Derek Porter and the figure skating pair of Jamie Sale and David Pelletier are the athletes joining Lueders in the class of 2012.

The late Daryl (Doc) Seaman, an owner of the Calgary



Pierre Lueders at a news conference Thursday in Calgary. JEFF MCINTOSH/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Flames, and Marion Lay, an athlete-turned-advocate, join them as builders.

Their induction ceremony will be Oct. 18.

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## NHL. Jets defenceman Byfuglien to stand trial

Winnipeg Jets defenceman Dustin Byfuglien will stand trial on charges including operating a boat while impaired, after his lawyer and the prosecution failed to reach a plea deal Thursday.

"We had our settlement conference at 8:30 this morning, it lasted for about two hours and we were unable to reach any sort of a favourable settlement," Mitch Robinson said from Minneapolis.

"The prosecutor sees this as a BWI case — boat

ing while intoxicated — and there's no evidence whatsoever that he was intoxicated."

Police stopped a boat Byfuglien was driving on Lake Minnetonka in Minnesota last Aug. 31, initially because they believed he did not have his lights on as required.

Court documents say the 26-year-old NHLer passed a breathalyzer test but was unable to successfully perform field sobriety tests.

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Wayne Gretzky reminiscing about his playing days and how hockey has changed.

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N.Y. Rangers (1) vs. Ottawa (8)  
(Series tied 2-2)

Wednesday's result

Ottawa 3 N.Y. Rangers 2 (OT)

Tomorrow's game

Ottawa at N.Y. Rangers, 7 p.m.

Boston (2) vs. Washington (7)

(Series tied at 2-2)

Last night's result

Washington 2 Boston 1

Saturday, April 21

Washington at Boston, 3 p.m.

Florida (3) vs. New Jersey (6)

(Series tied at 2-2)

Last night's result

New Jersey 4 Florida 0

Saturday, April 21

New Jersey at Florida, 6:30 p.m.

Pittsburgh (4) vs. Philadelphia (5)

(Philadelphia leads series 3-1)

Wednesday's result

Pittsburgh 10 Philadelphia 3

Tonight's game

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 22

x-Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, TBD

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Vancouver (1) vs. Los Angeles (8)  
(Los Angeles leads series 3-1)

Wednesday's result

Vancouver 3 Los Angeles 1

Sunday, April 22

Los Angeles at Vancouver, TBD

Tuesday, April 24

x-Vancouver at Los Angeles, TBD

Thursday, April 26

x-Los Angeles at Vancouver, TBD

x-St. Louis (2) vs. San Jose (7)

(St. Louis leads series 2-1)

Last night's result

St. Louis at San Jose

Saturday, April 21

San Jose at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, April 23

x-St. Louis at San Jose, TBD

Wednesday, April 25

x-San Jose at St. Louis, TBD

Phoenix (3) vs. Chicago (6)

(Phoenix leads series 3-1)

Last night's result

Phoenix 3 Chicago 2 (OT)

Saturday, April 21

Chicago at Phoenix, 10 p.m.

Nashville (4) vs. Detroit (5)

(Nashville leads series 3-1)

Tonight's game

Detroit at Nashville, 8 p.m.

Sunday, April 22

x-Nashville at Detroit, TBD

x - played only if necessary.

MLB

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Baltimore	8	5	.615	—
New York	7	6	.538	1
Tampa Bay	7	6	.538	1
Toronto	6	6	.500	1½
Boston	4	8	.333	3½

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	9	4	.692	—
Chicago	6	6	.500	2½
Cleveland	5	5	.500	2½
Minnesota	4	9	.308	5
Kansas City	3	9	.250	5½

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	11	2	.846	—
Seattle	7	6	.538	4
Oakland	6	7	.462	5
Los Angeles	4	8	.333	6½

Yesterday's results

Baltimore 5 Chicago White Sox 3  
N.Y. Yankees 7 Minnesota 6

Texas 10 Detroit 3

Tampa Bay 9 Toronto 4

Oakland at L.A. Angels

Cleveland at Seattle

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota 6 N.Y. Yankees 5

Tampa Bay 12 Toronto 2

Texas 6 Boston 3

Chicago White Sox 8 Baltimore 1

Detroit 4 Kansas City 3

Oakland 6 L.A. Angels 0

Seattle 4 Cleveland 1

Today's games

N.Y. Yankees (Nova 2-0) at Boston (Buchholz 1-0), 3:15 p.m.

Texas (M.Harrison 2-0) at Detroit (Porcello 1-0), 7:05 p.m.

Minnesota (Hendricks 0-0) at Tampa Bay (Moore 0-1), 7:10 p.m.

Toronto (Drabek 2-0) at Kansas City (Hochevar 1-1), 8:10 p.m.

Baltimore (Matusz 0-2) at L.A. Angels (Williams 0-1), 10:05 p.m.

Cleveland (Jimenez 1-0) at Oakland (Godfrey 0-2), 10:05 p.m.

Chicago White Sox (Sale 1-1) at Seattle (Noe-si 1-1), 10:10 p.m.

PLAYERS

	ab	r	h	bi	Toronto	ab	r	h	bi
Jnngs cf	5	2	3	2	YEscor ss	4	1	1	0
Zobrist rf	3	2	1	0	KJhnsn 2b	5	0	1	0
C.Pena 1b	3	1	0	0	Bautist rf	3	1	0	0
Longori 3b	4	2	3	4	Lind 1b	4	0	1	1
Suitt dh	5	0	1	2	Encinc dh	4	0	2	2
Vogt pr-dh	0	0	0	0	Thams lf	5	0	1	0
Joyce lf	4	1	0	0	Lawrie 3b	5	0	1	1
Kopprg 2b	3	0	0	0	Rasms cf	5	1	1	0
EJhnsn 2b	1	0	0	0	Areneci c	4	1	2	1
JMolin c	4	0	0	0					
SRdrgz ss	4	1	1	1					

Totals	36	9	9	9	Totals	39	4	10	3
Tampa Bay	120	030	083	9	2				
Toronto	100	200	001	4					

E-S-Rodriguez (1), Longoria (5), Bautista (1), Lind (1), DP-Toronto 1. LOB-Tampa Bay 7.

Toronto 13. 2B-Longoria (5), Scott (3), Lind (4), Encarnacion (5), Arenencia (1), HR-Jennings (1), Longoria (2), SB-Jennings (3), E.Johnson (1).

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Tampa Bay	52-3	6	3	2	3	4
Hellickson W, 2-0						
McGee	0	1	0	0	0	0
Badenhop	0	0	0	0	1	0
Howell H, 1	11-3	1	0	0	0	2
Jo.Peralta H, 2		1	0	0	0	0
Rodney	1	2	1	1	1	0

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto	61-3	6	6	6	2	4
H.Alvarez L, 0-1						
E.Crawford	1	0	0	0	3	0
Frasor	12-3	3	3	3	1	4

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	10	4	.714	—
Atlanta	7	5	.583	2
New York	7	5	.583	2
Miami	7	6	.538	2½
Philadelphia	5	7	.417	4

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
St. Louis	9	4	.692	—
Milwaukee	6	7	.462	3
Pittsburgh	5	7	.417	3½
Cincinnati	5	8	.385	4
Houston	5	8	.385	4
Chicago	3	10	.231	6

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	10	3	.769	—
Arizona	7	5	.583	2½
Colorado	6	6	.500	3½
San Francisco	6	6	.500	3½
San Diego	3	10	.231	7

Yesterday's results

Miami 5 Chicago Cubs 3

L.A. Dodgers 4 Milwaukee 3

Cincinnati 6 St. Louis 3

Houston 11 Washington 4

Atlanta at Arizona

Philadelphia at San Diego

Wednesday's results

Atlanta 14 N.Y. Mets 6

Pittsburgh 2 Arizona 1

Washington 3 Houston 2

Miami 9 Chicago Cubs 1

Milwaukee 3 L.A. Dodgers 2 (10 inn.)

St. Louis 11 Cincinnati 1

Colorado 8 San Diego 4

San Francisco 1 Philadelphia 0 (11 inn.)

Tonight's games

Cincinnati (Bailey 0-2) at Chicago Cubs (Volstad 0-1), 2:20 p.m.

Miami (Zambrano 0-0) at Washington (De-twiller 1-0), 7:05 p.m.

St. Louis (Lynn 2-0) at Pittsburgh (Morton 0-0), 7:10 p.m.

San Francisco (Zito 1-0) at N.Y. Mets (Niese 2-0), 7:10 p.m.

L.A. Dodgers (Lilly 1-0) at Houston (Happ 1-0), 8:05 p.m.

Colorado (Chacin 0-1) at Milwaukee (Marcum 1-1), 8:10 p.m.

Atlanta (Beachy 1-1) at Arizona (Cahill 1-0), 9:40 p.m.

Philadelphia (Hamels 1-1) at San Diego (Volquez 0-1), 10:05 p.m.

LACROSSE

NLL

EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	Pct.	GF	GA	GB
x-Toronto	14	7	7	.500	170	172	—
x-Philadelphia	14	7	7	.500	159	183	—
x-Rochester	14	6	8	.429	173	176	1
Buffalo	14	5	9	.357	167	179	2

WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	Pct.	GF	GA	GB
x-Colorado	14	11	3	.786	193	171	—
x-Calgary	15	11	4	.733	207	164	½
x-Minnesota	14	7	7	.500	171	167	4
Edmonton	13	5	8	.385	136	143	5½
Washington	14	4	10	.286	150	171	7

x — clinched playoff berth.

Tonight's games

Edmonton at Colorado, 9 p.m.

Toronto at Washington, 11 p.m.

Tomorrow's games

Rochester at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m.

Philadelphia at Minnesota, 8 p.m.

Calgary at Edmonton, 9 p.m.

NBA

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-Chicago	47	16	.746	—
y-Miami	45	17	.726	1½
x-Indiana	41	22	.651	6
y-Boston	37	26	.587	10
x-Atlanta	37	25	.597	9½
x-Orlando	36	26	.581	10½
x-New York	33	29	.532	13½
Philadelphia	32	30	.516	14½
Milwaukee	29	33	.468	17½
Detroit	23	40	.365	24
New Jersey	22	41	.349	25
Toronto	22	41	.349	25
Cleveland	20	41	.328	26
Washington	16	46	.258	30½
Charlotte	7	54	.115	39

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
y-San Antonio	45	16	.738	—
y-Oklahoma City	45	17	.726	½
x-L.A. Lakers	40	23	.635	6
x-L.A. Clippers	39	23	.629	6½
x-Memphis	37	25	.597	8½
x-Dallas	35	28	.556	11
Denver	34	28	.548	11½
Utah	33	30	.524	13
Phoenix	32	30	.516	13½
Houston	32	31	.508	14
Portland	28	35	.444	18
Minnesota	26	38	.406	20½
Golden State	22	39	.361	23
Sacramento	20	42	.323	25
New Orleans	20	43	.317	26

d — division leader; x — clinched playoff berth;

y — clinched division

Last night's results

Indiana 118 Milwaukee 109

Minnesota 91 Detroit 80

New Orleans 105 Houston 99 (OT)

Miami 83 Chicago 72

L.A. Clippers at Phoenix

Wednesday's results

Philadelphia 103 Cleveland 87

Chicago 100 Charlotte 68

Washington 121 Milwaukee 112

Atlanta 116 Detroit 84

Miami 96 Toronto 72

New York 104 New Jersey 95

Memphis 103 New Orleans 91

Boston 102 Orlando 98

Dallas 117 Houston 110

L.A. Clippers 104 Denver 98

San Antonio 127 Sacramento 102

Utah 112 Portland 91

Oklahoma City 109 Phoenix 97

L.A. Lakers 99 Golden State 87

Tonight's games

(All times Eastern)

## Crossword

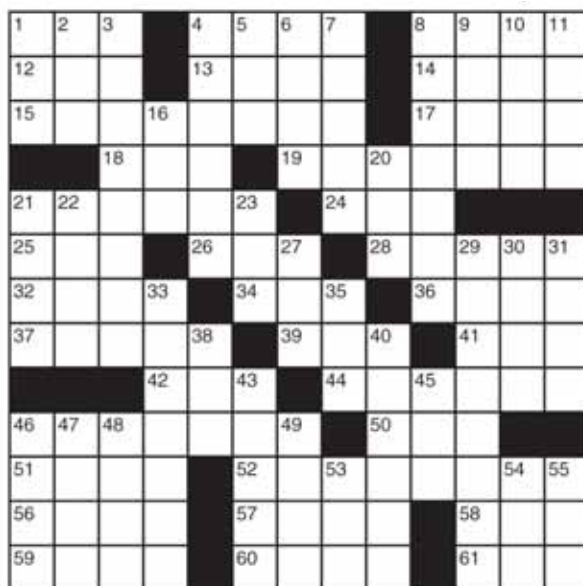
## Across

1 Tummy muscles  
4 Not up yet  
8 Conceal in the hand  
12 Attack dog's command  
13 Approach  
14 Largest of the seven  
15 "The Departed" director  
17 Gets stuck  
18 Tier  
19 Convict's dreams  
21 Pele's game  
24 Bottom line  
25 Blond shade  
26 Bad hairpiece  
28 Turkish official  
32 Mirth  
34 "1 vs. 100" group  
36 Wound cover  
37 Heart line?  
39 Homer's interjection  
41 Raw rock  
42 With it  
44 Keg  
46 Additionally  
50 Stannum  
51 Oil acronym  
52 Venomous arachnid  
56 Mrs. Zeus  
57 Color quality  
58 Cagers' grp.  
59 Authentic

60 Due  
61 Show-biz job

## Down

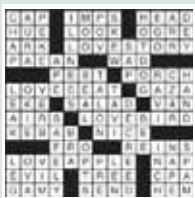
1 Balaam's mount  
2 Pen name  
3 Really hot day  
4 Question, on "Jeopardy!"  
5 Quilters' get-together  
6 Relaxation  
7 Gown  
8 Sleepover raiments  
9 Now, in a memo  
10 Rickey flavor  
11 Sunday service  
16 Sinbad's bird  
20 Golfer's target  
21 "The Forsyte —"  
22 Scandinavian city  
23 Pirates' quaff  
27 Pantheon member  
29 Disdainful treatment  
30 Aesopian also-ran  
31 First victim  
33 Moral  
35 Go up and down  
38 Succor  
40 Odium  
43 Trattoria sauce  
45 Wardrobe malfunction  
46 Physicist Niels



47 Duel tool  
48 Antitoxins  
49 Garbage barge

53 Indivisible  
54 Sapporo sash  
55 Gripe repeatedly

## Yesterday's Crossword



## Cryptoquip

## How to play

This is a substitution cipher where one letter stands for another. Eg: If X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle.

WN CKT NWLQOC IGKS TS  
RKZQ BNEQA-PWLLQA  
IBLPWQR. KLQ IKTOP RBC  
EGBE CKT ZWLIQ ZWLER.  
Yesterday's Cryptoquip: FLICK ABOUT A GIFTED  
GECKO WHO GROWS UP TO BE A WHIZ-BANG  
CARPENTER: "THE LIZARD OF SAWS."  
Today's Cryptoquip Clue: C equals Y

## Horoscope

## ♈ Aries | March 21 - April 20.

With mind planet Mercury in your sign forming a less than helpful link to your ruler Mars, there's a danger you'll miss something important.

## ♉ Taurus | April 21 - May 21.

You need to plan ahead and know what you intend to do. Then and only then should you take action.

♊ Gemini | May 22 - June 20. Financial matters will generally go well today but that is not an invitation to take unnecessary risks.

## ♋ Cancer | June 21 - July 22.

Someone whose power far exceeds your own will make life difficult for you today. If you stay calm and refuse to be intimidated, you'll be OK.

## ♌ Leo | July 23 - Aug. 22.

Just because someone is not very good at expressing him or herself does not mean he or she has nothing to say. Bear that in mind today.

## ♍ Virgo | Aug. 23 - Sept. 22.

Today's Mars-Mercury link suggests what you think is going on bears no relation to what is really going on.

♎ Libra | Sept. 23 - Oct. 22. You can't take the credit when things go right but deny it's your fault when things go wrong.

## ♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23 - Nov. 21.

It's quite likely that someone is trying to confuse you by feeding you information that points you in several directions at once.

## ♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22 - Dec. 21.

Like it or not, it is now your responsibility to deal with a situation that everyone else has tried to resolve but failed.

## ♑ Capricorn | Dec. 22 - Jan. 20.

No amount of reasoned argument will get you to change your point of view. Let friends know that.

## ♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21 - Feb. 18.

It's unlikely you'll see eye-to-eye with people in authority today. Don't start a war over everything you know.

## ♓ Pisces | Feb. 19 - March 20.

There is something going on but you can't put your finger on what it is. Try not to chase it so hard. It'll come to you. **SALLY BROMPTON**

## Sudoku



## How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

## Yesterday's Sudoku



For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to [metronews.ca](http://metronews.ca)

## Weather

## TODAY



MAX: 13°  
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## SATURDAY



MAX: 16°  
MIN: 0°

## SUNDAY



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Are you tired? Are you worn out? Cast your care on Him because He cares for you.

Let Jesus bear your burdens and pains today.

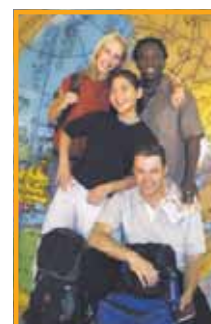
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